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REPORTED CLASH BETWEEN CHINESE AND JAPANESE AT CHEFOO

PRISONER DELIBERATELY BLINDS HIMSELF

Drastic Action By Alleged
Austrian Murderer

Vienna, to-day.—A 30-year-old theatrical performer in Krems, who is facing a charge for murder, has put out both his eyes with needles in prison, as there is a law in Austria which prohibits totally blind persons being held in prison.—Trans-Ocean Service.

ARMAMENTS IN BRITAIN

LABOUR PARTY'S
ATTITUDE

Government Policy To
Be Supported?

London, To-day.
The executive of the Labour Party discussed for several hours yesterday the attitude to be adopted towards the Government's armament policy. It is learned that although no definite decision was taken the majority of those present definitely favoured rearmament. A resolution embodying that viewpoint will be submitted to another meeting of the executive at Edinburgh on October 1, with a view to its being presented to the conference as a statement of policy.
It is gathered that yesterday's proceedings were characterized by very frank speaking. Dr. Hugh Dalton made a vigorous speech in favour of supporting the Government's armaments policy and was strongly backed by Mr. J. R. Clynes and other influential members of the executive. It is understood that Mr. Herbert Morrison criticised the proposal but did not definitely oppose it.—Reuter.

COMING LOCARNO PARLEY

BRITISH NOTE TO
POWERS

ATTITUDE RE-STATE

London, To-day.
Mr. Anthony Eden, the Foreign Secretary, has handed a note to the representatives of the other Locarno Powers. The note will not be published, but it is understood that it expresses the British desire for a general settlement. It makes no specific mention of Russia and re-states in more concrete form the British views as propounded in the communiqué of July 23.—Reuter.
TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE
At the end of the three-Power meeting in London in July the following communiqué was issued:—
"The representatives of France, Belgium and the United Kingdom, mindful of the arrangements of March 19, of the proposals of the German Chancellor of March 31, and of those of the French Government of April 8, have arrived at the following conclusions:—
"Firstly, the main purpose to which the efforts of all the European nations must be directed is to consolidate peace by means of a general settlement."
"Secondly, such a settlement can only be achieved by the free cooperation of all the Powers concerned, and nothing would be more fatal to the hopes of such a settlement than a division, apparent or real, of Europe into opposing blocs."
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MORALE OF REBELS BADLY SHAKEN

EXPLOSION OF ALCAZAR SHATTERING BLOW VITAL FACTOR IN DEFENCE

Madrid, To-day.
The civil population of Toledo encamped in a bitter wind a mile and a half away and watched the explosion of Alcazar, which was mined by the Government troops and totally destroyed. The besieged insurgents gallantly awaited their fate, occasionally making desperate sallies in the hope of preventing the miners' consummating their plot.
The blowing-up of Alcazar was the culmination to one of the biggest struggles of the civil war. From the point of view of the insurgents' morale its fall is considered to be a worse blow than would be the fall of Oviedo and Huesca, while from the military viewpoint its importance lies in the fact that it dominates the best road to Madrid and also the Alicante-Valencia rail-line. Whoever controls Toledo controls the main outlet to the sea—a vital factor in the defence of Madrid, most of the food supplies of which come by this route.

Gibraltar. H.M.S. Queen Elizabeth, which arrived here from Malaga on Thursday intending to go to Malta, sailed at daybreak yesterday with the destroyer Anthony for Malaga, where it is understood street fighting is proceeding between the various groups, and buildings are being set on fire.
The destroyer Worcester is already at Malaga, from where it is reported that Senor Vega, the Civil Governor, has urgently appealed to the Madrid Government for immediate reinforcements, following the refusal of 600 Militiamen to continue to fight against the insurgents.
Malaga Communists, in letters to Communist refugees at Gibraltar, declare that they would rather smash the whole of Malaga than surrender and be shot by the insurgents.—Reuter.

HUMANE WARFARE

Paris: The League of Red Cross Societies has announced that the Spanish Government forces and the insurgents have undertaken to respect the Geneva Convention and the Red Cross, and have agreed to the reciprocal evacuation of women and children.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

DRAMATIC WIN FOR REES

Whitcombe Loses Fine
Opportunity

\$1,250 GOLF TOURNEY FINAL

Oxhey, To-day.

Dai Rees, the young Welsh assistant professional at Surbiton, scored a dramatic victory in the Final of the News Of The World \$1,250 professional (match-play) golf championship here yesterday, beating Ernest Whitcombe by one up after Whitcombe had led by five holes at the end of the morning round.
Rees consistently outplayed his more experienced opponent, but Whitcombe was the master in the other departments of the game.
The scores for the first round were Whitcombe 69, Rees 75.
Whitcombe led by two holes at the 27th, but the match was all square at the 29th, owing to Whitcombe's putting lapses. Rees assumed the leadership for the first time at the 31st hole, and returned 68 against 73 by Whitcombe for the second 18 holes, the par score for the course being 72.—Reuter.

LEAGUE SESSION OPENS

RETURN OF ITALY
SIMPLIFIED

ETHIOPIA DOES NOT FULFIL
COVENANT CONDITIONS

Geneva, To-day.

The League Council opened its 33rd session yesterday with formal proceedings. It is understood that the Credentials Committee will find that the Ethiopian Government does not fulfil the conditions laid down in the Covenant, and there is little doubt that the majority of the Assembly will endorse its recommendations, thus clearing the path for the re-admission of Italy.

Meanwhile the Spanish delegate, the Foreign Minister, Senor de Yagor, protested vigorously to M. Lejos, the French Foreign Minister, regarding Portugal's alleged continued violations of neutrality in the civil war. M. Delbos agreed that the Portuguese attitude was inadmissible and intolerable.—Reuter.

MCLEAN IN FINAL TO MEET FISCHER FOR U.S. AMATEUR GOLF TITLE

Garden City, Long Island, To-day.—Jack McLean, the British Walker Cup player, will meet W. Fischer, the American Walker Cup player, in the Final Round of the American Amateur Golf Championship.

McLean led G. Voigt (U.S.) by six up after the first 18 holes of their 36 holes (match play) semi-final tie yesterday, returning a card of 77 against 83 by the American.

The match was played in a howling gale and the conditions favoured the Scot, who was in excellent form.

Johnny Goodman, U.S. Open champion in 1933, and W. Fischer were all square at the end of their morning round, the scores being 77 and 78 respectively.

As a result of play in the afternoon round, Jack McLean entered the Final Round, beating Voigt by 8 and 7. McLean was six holes up on his opponent at the 27th, when the scores read 51-53. In the Scotsman's favour.

Fischer caused some surprise when he eliminated Johnny Goodman by 2 and 1, the former returning a card of 79 against 82 by Goodman.

Owing to the prevailing conditions the Final has been postponed until to-morrow.

A later message states that the United States Golf Association has announced that there is a possibility that the Final may be played to-day if the weather clears.

Earlier: The quarter finals resulted as follows:—
"Johnny Goodman, U.S. Open champion in 1933, beat Ray Billows 2 and 1."
"J. Fischer beat Russell Martin 5 and 4."
"G. Voigt beat A. E. Campbell (Glasgow) 4 and 3."
"Jack McLean (Great Britain) beat John Biddell 3 and 1."
—Reuter.

1936 American Walker Cup players



A member of Spain's Amazon army is shown sewing a button on the shirt of a loyalist soldier at the front at Guadarrama, shortly after the loyalists displaced the rebels there last month.

ARAB HOSTILITIES FRESH ATTACKS MARK JEWISH NEW YEAR

Jerusalem, To-day.—The Jewish New Year was marked by a recrudescence of Arab hostilities. Attacks were made on Thursday night in at least nine Jewish centres. Four separate onslaughts were made on an orange-growing colony, where the watchmen defending it had exhausted their ammunition. The police, however, arrived just in time.

Incendiaries gutted a Jewish flour-mill near Samakh, the damage being estimated at \$5,000. The Iraq pipeline was again damaged near Afuleh.

London: It is understood that a meeting of Ministers at No. 10, Downing Street, yesterday morning received reports from the High Commissioner in Palestine.

It is learned that the Government intend to delay putting martial law into operation until they see how the situation develops. It is hoped that the influence of the more moderate Arabs will have a steady effect, but there is no doubt that, failing a very definite change in the situation, martial law will be proclaimed.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

TRAGEDY OFF DELAWARE BAY

Fishing Trawler Sunk: 39
People Missing

Cape May, N.J., To-day.

Thirty-nine persons are missing following the sinking of a fishing trawler at the entrance to Delaware Bay during a hurricane.—Reuter.

NILE DISASTER

Forty-Five Feared
Drowned

Cairo, To-day.

The latest reports of the Nile disaster give 45 feared to have been drowned. A party of 300 were aboard three launches being towed up the Nile. The last launch collided with a barge.—Reuter.

An earlier message stated that 200 railway employees and their wives and children were feared to have been drowned in a collision on the Nile. The party were going on an excursion in a launch and the latter came into collision with a barge and sank immediately. Only four were saved. All the victims were Egyptians.

WORLD'S LARGEST ORGAN

To Be Installed In
Nuremberg

Nuremberg, To-day.

Europe's largest pipe-organ was played for the first time before thousands in Nuremberg's festival hall at the recent Party Congress here. This gigantic instrument, containing 16,013 pipes, of which the largest is 12m. long and the smallest 1 cm., was especially designed for the new Congress Hall, where it will be installed later and used to accompany mass singing. The organ contains five manuals, one row of pedals and a special amplifying system, so that there will be uniformity of tone in the entire gigantic hall.—Trans-Ocean Service.

CAPTAIN SUEN CAPTURED

MISUNDERSTANDING ON BOTH SIDES

ARMY TRANSPORTATION TRAIN
DERAILED NEAR HUNAN

[From A Special Correspondent] Canton, To-day.

News reached here last night that there was clash between Japanese and Chinese troops at Chefoo at 5 p.m. yesterday. Captain Suen Hsiang-liang of the 29th Army was captured by the Japanese troops, and the two bodies of men shelled each other for some time. It is learned that this was due to some misunderstanding on both sides, and this misunderstanding was cleared up at midnight. The troops of both sides thereupon retreated.

Yesterday the army transportation northbound train of the Canton-Hankow Railway was derailed at Liang Tien Station, south of Hunan, and it is learned that there were a large number of casualties.

It is reported that an unexploded bomb was found in a Japanese shop at Swatow at 10 p.m. on Thursday. The Japanese Consular and the Swatow Municipal authorities are now investigating the matter. As Swatow is an important seaport in South China, Divisional Commander Li Hon-wan, formerly of the Ironsides, is garrisoning the place, while the garrison of Eastern Kwangtung is commanded by the Divisional Commander, General Tseng Yan-yen.

The Generalissimo, seeing that the provinces of Kwangsi is rich in mineral resources, has instructed the Minister of Railways, Mr. Chang Ka-ngan, to draft a plan to extend the Canton-Shanghai Railway into Nanning, passing through Wuchow. As soon as this line is finished it will be connected to the Canton-Hankow line, so that the mineral products of Kwangsi can be transported to the different provinces of the country, and the excess can be exported to Europe and America.

The Generalissimo has instructed Mr. Chen Siu-men, Commissioner of Business of the Ministry of Railways, to investigate the collision between a train and a motorbus on the Canton-Hankow Railway line last week.

Madame Chiang Kai-shek returned to Kuling by air yesterday.

Following the signature of the agreement between employers and the workers in the textile industry, all the factories in Lille occupied by the workers were evacuated yesterday afternoon. The workers carrying out the "stay-in" strike in the Vosges also evacuated their factories.

A message from St. Didier reports that a strike has broken out there, the factories also being occupied by the workers, which now affects 10,000 workers.—Trans-Ocean Service.

Paris, To-day.

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Sporting Page

CLUB WILL BE FULLY TESTED BY KOWLOON CHINESE TO-DAY

LAWRENCE RETAINS HIS TITLE

LONG PLUNGE WON BY G. LONDON

GOOD RACING AMONG LADIES

(By "Crawl")

IN spite of the lack of opposition, Wilfred Lawrence swam a very fine race against time in the Colony 220 Yards free-style championship yesterday evening in the Victoria Recreation Club swimming pool when he failed by 2.45 secs. to lower his Interport mark of 2 mins. 23 secs. established last year in the Colony, and his own Colony Championship mark by four-fifths of a second.

In the only other championship event of the evening, L. Cpl. G. London, of the East Lancashire Regiment, won the Colony Plunging title with 52 feet 7 ins., followed by E. de Souza, of Club de Recreio, with 51 ft. 11 ins. There were only three entrants, the third being Sergt. Stopford, of the East Lancs., who could not reach the 50-foot mark despite having beaten that mark in the Hong Kong Area Championships.

There was an excellent race in the V.R.C. Junior 100 Yards free-style championship, which was won by L. M. Remedios from F. Nolasco da Silva by four yards, although at one stage of the race Lieut. J. M. Calvert was in the lead only to fall away badly in the later stages. The one other outstanding race of the evening was in the Ladies' 100 Yards free-style handicap, in which Miss Veronica Thirwell, conceding 35 seconds to the scratch swimmer, and 10 seconds to Mrs. McMahon, just failed to overhaul the latter in the last few yards, to take second place.

FOUR AQUATIC TITLES FOR TO-NIGHT

Diving Event Will Be Disappointing

THRILLING DUEL EXPECTED IN BREAST-STROKE

(By "CRAWL")

The Hong Kong Swimming Championships held under the auspices of the Victoria Recreation Club, will be concluded to-night, when four championship events, including Diving, the 50 Yards free-style, the 100 Yards breast-stroke and the 440 Yards free-style, will be featured.

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K.C.C. "A" DEFEAT RECREIO

Recreio Trounced At Home

MIXED DOUBLES FIXTURE

In the Mixed Doubles Tennis League, yesterday at King's Park, Kowloon Cricket Club "A" beat Club de Recreio by 9 sets to nil, the scores being—

A. V. Gosson and Miss O. Ribeiro (Recreio) lost to E. C. Fincher and Miss M. Griffiths 2-6
lost to E. C. Fincher and Miss O. Dalziel 3-6
lost to G. Bodiker and Miss A. Mackenzie 2-6
lost to Fincher and Miss Griffiths 0-6
lost to Fincher and Miss Dalziel 3-6
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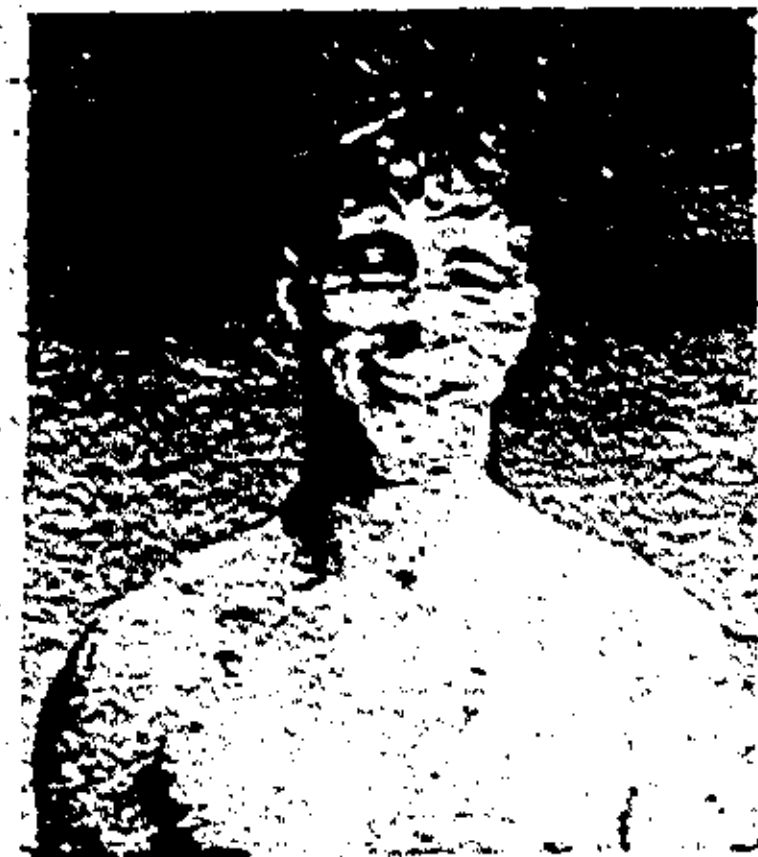
Mixed Doubles League Table To Date

Rank	Team	W	L	D	Pts
1	K.C.C.	8	1	0	16
2	Recreio	7	2	0	14
3	K.C.C.	7	2	1	14
4	K.C.C.	7	2	1	14
5	K.C.C.	7	2	1	14
6	K.C.C.	7	2	1	14
7	K.C.C.	7	2	1	14
8	K.C.C.	7	2	1	14
9	K.C.C.	7	2	1	14
10	K.C.C.	7	2	1	14

Totals 38 W 17 L 4 D 168 Pts 38



Three East Lancashire swimmers who will take part in the Colony Championships at the Victoria Recreation Club to-night. (Left) Cpl. McCarthy, favoured in the 50 Yards free-style (Centre) Cpl. Gresson, who will challenge for the Diving title and (Right) Cpl. Fildes, who will be seen in the 100 Yards breast-stroke event.



HANDICAP TOO MUCH FOR CIVILIANS

Fusiliers Win Polo Encounter

LT. PARKER JERVIS IN LIMELIGHT

The Fusiliers started their polo match against the Civilians with a handicap of five goals in their favour and the first incident of note was a run by Lt. Parker-Jervis, whose shot at goal was deflected by Mr. Prichard's pony.

There was no scoring in this chukker, in which Lt. Parker-Jervis was most prominent both in attack and defence. The Civilian side failed to support one another. Mr. Fielden hit out in the second chukker, but the ball was met by Lt. Kelly. Mr. Palmer getting away, passed to Mr. Newbigging, who missed an open goal with a near-side shot, but later, from a scrimmage, he scored the first goal of the match. The Civilians had the best of this chukker, but their play was ragged.

Fusiliers 5; Civilians 1

Mr. Newbigging Scores

The third chukker saw Mr. Newbigging reduce the arrears by giving a good back-hand pass to Mr. Palmer, who scored.

In the last chukker, Lt. Parker-Jervis got away, but was ridden off by Mr. Palmer. Lt. Boscawen hit up to Lt. Parker-Jervis, appeared to score, the ball passing high over the posts, but after a discussion between the umpire and goal-watcher, the goal was disallowed.

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An Amazing Record



CHARLES Blackburn, the Police footballer, who was born in Glasgow in 1905 and educated at the Glasgow Public School may be aptly described as an Army-made sportsman.

Joining the Argyle and Sutherland Highlanders at their depot at Stirling Castle, he was more or less forced into sports and a year after enlistment in 1925 was the battalion champion in the 100 Yards, 220 Yards and 440 Yards track events, and assisted his company in winning the depot-championship by winning, in addition, the high jump and half mile events.

It was here that Blackburn started football, hockey and boxing. When his battalion was sent to the Isle of Wight he played for the company at outside-right for three seasons, but the following year, in Jamaica, he was tried at right-back and was promoted to the first team, and he has played in this position ever since.

He came with his Battalion to Hong Kong and in 1932 joined the Police, for whom he has played ever since. He has taken part in most representative games in Hong Kong and on several occasions for Scotland in the "Sunday Herald" International Charity Cup competition.

After playing three games of hockey Blackburn obtained a place in the senior team of his Battalion. He represented the Police in the Marnock Tournament, when they won the trophy, and has represented Scotland in the local international competition.

BRITISH SENIOR GOLFERS FOR U.S.

Great Britain will be strongly represented in the triangular international matches among the senior golfers of Great Britain, United States and Canada, on the National Links, Long Island, New York, on September 21, 22 and 23. The British team, which will be led by the Hon. Lord Hunter, captain of the society, is: Lord Hunter, A. R. Aitken, Lt.-Col. E. A. Boyd, J. C. Boys, Major P. C. Burton, S. J. Chesterton, D. Clayton, N. Field, G. Hensley, Dr. H. Holt, W. Parkinson, Major P. E. Slater, H. E. Taylor, Reserve: G. L. Miller.

THRILLING POLO MATCH AT BOUNDARY ST.

GUNNERS WIN IN LAST CHUKKER

MAJOR CURRIE AND LT. BAKER-CARR SHINE

Although polo is only confined to a small section of the community, there is no doubt that those who follow the game take a very keen interest in it and yesterday, at the Polo Club, Boundary Street, they turned out in their numbers to watch the two tournament games that were decided.

The first match resulted in a win for the Royal Artillery over the Royal Ulster Rifles by 8 goals to 7, despite the fact that the latter received a handicap of 5. In the second match of the day the handicap of five goals conceded by the Civilians to the Fusiliers proved too much for them and they lost by 6 goals to 2.

Dealing with the Gunners-Rifles match, Lt. Baker-Carr (R.A.) scored in the opening seconds of the game from a good hit by Major Currie. Major Currie scored the second goal with a near-side, forehead shot. Good clearing by Capt. Frizelle then featured the play, and a free hit awarded to the Artillery and taken by Lt. Metcalfe was cleared nicely.

Magnificent Goal

The second chukker began with Lt. Harris taking the ball up the field for Capt. Frizelle to score with a magnificent shot. At the throw-in, the Rifles again took the ball up and Col. Rodwell scored in the Artillery and taken by Lt. Metcalfe was cleared nicely.

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SHANGHAI L.T.A. CRITICISED

Prospects Of Victory Main Consideration

INTERPORT SPIRIT JEOPARDISED

"As virtual head of the Hong Kong lawn tennis association, I deplore the attitude adopted by the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association in refusing to send a team to the Colony for an Interport match because they could not produce their very best players," stated Mr. Ng Sze Kwong, vice-president of the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis Association, in an exclusive interview yesterday evening.

"The northern body seem to have forgotten that the Interport contest is more than a mere match with a victory at stake; the main object is to cement the friendship between the two ports through the medium of sport. When we sent a team to Shanghai last year it was by no means our best."

"I have not yet had an opportunity of voicing my feelings on the matter, and am grateful for this opportunity of doing so through the medium of the China Mail."

FLEMING'S CHANCE AT INSIDE-RIGHT

DROWN PULLS THIGH MUSCLE

JUNIORS WILL ALSO BE ON VIEW

(By "Referee")

TWO very good soccer games should be witnessed at the Valley this afternoon when the Club entertain the Kowloon Chinese first and second elevens in the latter's initial appearances as First and Second Division teams, and, judging by the names of players appearing on both sides, intending spectators are not likely to be disappointed.

The Club are fielding the same team which lost to the East Lancashire Regiment last Saturday by the odd goal in nine, with the exception of the inside-left berth, which will be filled by Fleming, a comparative newcomer—he only played in the last game of last season. Drown, who usually fills this berth, has pulled a muscle in the thigh and will be rested.

The Kowloon Chinese will probably be fielding their best team as a means of finding their feet before the commencement of the League programme next Saturday. Chan Shek-pui, former Athletic custodian, will probably be in goal, while Ho Chor-yin and another player yet to be named, will fill the two full-back positions.

The intermediate line will probably be Lai Kwok-chiu, Ng Tak-wing and Lo Wai-koon, while the whole of the former Athletic attack will be the front line, namely Tang Kwong-sum, Wong Wing-hong, Au Ping-ming, Yeung Kan-po and Cheung Moon-wing.

No Advantage

The Club, by fielding the same team as last season, or as near to it as possible, will not enjoy much advantage over their opponents, whose formation was just the same last season when their players turned out in the Athletic colours. Bearing in mind the fine form displayed by the Club in the earlier part of last season and their sad lapse towards the close, it will be interesting to see how they fare against their Chinese opponents, who were a match for South China "A", the League champions.

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TWO INTERPORT TRIALS

GAME ON CLUB GROUND TO-DAY

NEW PLAYERS TO BE TRIED OUT

(By "L.B.W.")

Two Interport cricket trial matches have been arranged for this week-end, to-day's game taking place on the Hong Kong Cricket Club ground, while to-morrow's will be played at the Kowloon Cricket Club, commencing at noon.

As reported in the China Mail yesterday, Lieut. J. P. Williams, who sustained an injured hand in last Saturday's game, will not be playing in any more of the trial matches. He is due to leave the Colony shortly and the chances of his ever returning here are very remote.

L. D. Kilbee, the H.K.C.C. all-rounder, will be playing this week-end, while Capt. L. J. Walsh, E. B. Neve and E. Zimmern will also appear in their first trial games.

The teams for to-morrow's match will be selected from the following:

W. H. Colledge, A. W. Hayward, Col. E. St. G. Kirke, A. H. Madar, H. W. Neve, L. J. Walsh, E. F. Fincher, G. Clegg-Hill, A. T. Lee, A. R. Minn, T. A. Pearce, E. Zimmern, C. C. Garthwaite, W. Hing, R. Lee, E. J. E. Mitchell, F. D. Pereira, E. L. Gosano, L. D. Kilbee, N. A. E. Mackay, K. Nazarin, Tel. Tufnell.

Sunday's Game

On Sunday the match at the K.C.C. will begin at 12 noon, and the teams will be chosen from the following:

W. H. Colledge, E. L. Gosano, W. Hing, N. A. E. Mackay, H. W. Neve, L. J. Walsh, E. F. Fincher, A. W. Hayward, L. D. Kilbee, A. H. Madar, T. A. Pearce, E. Zimmern, C. C. Garthwaite, G. Clegg-Hill, A. T. Lee, A. R. Minn, F. D. Pereira, F. Goodwin, R. Owen Hughes, R. Lee, K. Nazarin, Tel. Tufnell.

FRIENDLY MATCH

Club Juniors To Meet H.M.S. Adventure

The following will represent the H.K.C.C. second eleven against H.M.S. Adventure at King's Park to-day at 2 p.m.:

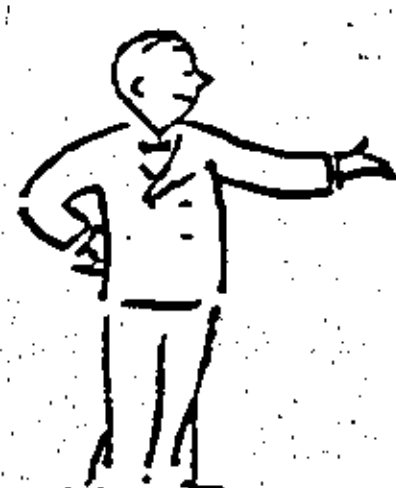
A. K. MacKenzie (Captain), E. Bathurst, P. C. Frost, N. P. Fox, E. P. Humphreys, J. E. Jupp, R. M. King, A. S. Read, J. Redman, G. A. Stewart and W. Wooding.

An Emergency Meeting of the Council of the Hong Kong Football Association will be held at the Sports Club, King's Building, on Monday next at 5.30 p.m.

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TEMME VOICES PROTEST TO BRITISH A.S.A.

OLYMPIC WATER POLO SEQUEL

LEFT OUT OF ENGLAND TEAM AS DISCIPLINARY MEASURE

London, August 28.
E. H. Temme, the Channel swimmer and British and English international water polo player, yesterday declared his intention to retire from the game. His decision follows events during the Olympic Games in Berlin.

"Not only am I going to retire," Temme said yesterday, "but I shall call for an inquiry into many things which happened in Berlin. There were many matters which were far from satisfactory. The fact that I have not been included in the England team against Japan at Wembley tomorrow has not affected my outlook in the very least, but there is one little connection."

"I spoke my mind on what I considered to be laxities of administration in British water polo details during the Games. Perhaps I said more than certain people thought I ought to have said, but that does not concern me."

Incredible Position
"Our water polo players were not warned until less than five minutes before matches as to who would and who would not be required to play. Just imagine eleven of us sitting in the dressing-room, all in swimming dress, and not knowing what exactly was going to happen."

"On the occasion of our last game I asked an official to let me know as soon as possible if I were selected or if I could get away. The game was at twelve o'clock and the train connection for England left just after one o'clock. I could not be in both. I had my business at Surbiton in mind, also my obligation to my country."

Disciplinary Measure
"Just before one o'clock when there was a bare chance of catching the train, I asked again if the team had been selected. A sharp 'No!' was the answer. I was not picked, and I missed the train. 'No reason was given for my exclusion, and I did not ask for one. Later I was told that my non-selection was 'a disciplinary measure.' Temme, who is aged 32, has played in nearly 20 international matches."

Secretary's Statement
Mr. Harold E. Fern, hon. secretary of the Amateur Swimming Association and president of the International Federation, said: "It is true that there was dissatisfaction in the team. The matter will, of course, come before the association."

"I do not agree with Temme taking a personal view, but I do agree with him that this matter must be thrashed out. What happened in Berlin must and will be fully investigated."

LAWRENCE RETAINS HIS TITLE

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Boys' (under 15) 100 Yards free-style
Colony Championship:
1. Dead-heat between Chun Kam-chung and B. Baras.
2. John Tai.
Time: 78 2-5 secs.

Colony Long Plunge Championship:
1. L. O. G. London (East Lanes).
Distance: 53 ft. 7 ins.
2. E. de Souza (Recreo).
Distance: 51 ft. 11 ins.

V.R.C. Junior 100 Yards free-style
championship:
1. L. M. Remedios
2. F. Nolasco da Silva
3. Lieut. J. M. Calvert, R.E.
Time: 64 secs.

Colony 220 Yards free-style:
1. W. Lawrence (V.R.C.).
Time: 2 mins. 25 4-5 secs.
2. P. A. Taylor (East Lanes).
Time: 2 mins. 42 2-5 secs.
3. Boy. J. Derbyshire (E. Lanes).
Ladies' 100 Yards free-style handicap:
The following qualified for the final:
Mrs. McMahon, Miss V. Thirwell,
Miss P. Stringer and Miss D. Hunt.

FUPINO KNOCKED OUT IN PRISON BOXING CONTEST

San Quentin, California, September 10.—"Baby Face" Guzman knocked out Eddie Mino of the Philippines in the first boxing programme ever held at the San Quentin Penitentiary here to-day.



Even the famous Lou Gehrig never displayed better form at first base than does Miss Margaret Brown, above, who has that difficult assignment on a team of semi-finalists in the girls' division of the softball tournament at Chicago.

CHINESE GIRL WINS TENNIS TITLE

Miss Dorothy Round Beaten By Senorita Lizana

London, September 12.
Miss Gem Hoang, the little Chinese girl who has achieved some excellent performances in major tournaments in Great Britain, won the Junior Lawn Tennis Championship of Great Britain at Wimbledon to-day. She defeated Miss Thomas in the final by 1-6, 6-2, 6-3.

At Eastbourne, Senorita Anita Lizana, the Chilean champion, captured the South of England lawn tennis championship with a clear-cut victory over Miss Dorothy Round in the final. The score was 6-4, 6-2. The men's title was won by G. P. Hughes, the English Davis Cup player, who beat Hare by 2-6, 9-7, 5-1.

JEAN TARIS TO RETIRE FAMOUS FRENCH SWIMMER

London, August 22.
The famous French swimmer, Jean Taris, a popular competitor at English games, is giving up competitive racing after tomorrow, when he takes part in the swim through Paris.

Taris says he owes his career, as a champion swimmer to the encouragement given him in England, and to the fact that it was in a race with an Englishman, P. E. Peter, in Paris in 1927, that the French authorities first spotted him as a champion in the making.

Taris holds all the French swimming records from 100 to 15,000 metres. He won the European 400 and 1,500 metres titles in 1934, but the two championships he prized most were the 500 yards and half-mile titles of England, which he gained in 1929.



FLEMING'S CHANCE AT INSIDE-RIGHT

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Juniors In Action
Prior to the senior game, the Club juniors will meet the Kowloon Chinese second eleven in another friendly match commencing at 4 p.m.

The Club will make several changes during the second half and the following have been invited to turn out, the team for the first half being selected before the commencement of the match: Fogwell and Payne (goalkeepers); Millington and P. Wilson (full-backs); G. Milne, R. Walkden and Mathieu or Dr. Shaw; Himsworth and Hopkins; Stone, Fischer and E. Greenberg; E. Fowler and J. E. Sloan.

UNPARALLELED FEAT

Wellard's Remarkable Cricket Over

FIVE SUCCESSIVE SIXES!

(By "LEIGHTON")

London, September 11.
On the day on which they became champions Derbyshire suffered a remarkable defeat. Somerset began the day with 177 runs to make and two wickets down in their second innings.

Three more wickets fell—and 131 runs were still needed. Then came Wellard, famous for his hard hitting.

He maintained his reputation. He made 30 in one over by hitting five successive sixes, a feat believed to be unparalleled in first-class cricket. He hit the ball out of the ground with three strokes in succession.

Wellard and R. A. Ingle, his partner, put on 77 for the sixth Somerset wicket. When Wellard was dismissed he had made 86 in 32 minutes.

When he left, Somerset wanted 29 to win, with three wickets left. Two more wickets fell and six runs were still needed. These were soon hit, leaving Somerset winners by one wicket.

Wellard, who was born in Kent in 1903, has played for Somerset for nine years. In first-class cricket last year he hit 72 times. This season he has hit 52.

HANDICAP TOO MUCH FOR CIVILIANS

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In effecting a save, Mr. Newbigging fouled Lt. Parker-Jervis and the Fusiliers were awarded a 40-yard hit, from which Lt. Parker-Jervis converted to make the final score read 6-2 in their favour.

Civilians: Mr. D. L. Newbigging (4), Mr. J. J. Palmer (3), Mr. A. J. Fielden (3), Mr. A. H. R. Butcher (1).
Fusiliers: Lt. Parker-Jervis (3), Lt. Bosanquet (2), Lt. Kelly (1), Lt. Frichard (0).

Two More Players For Shanghai Cricket Team

Shanghai, September 13.—The Interport Selection Committee announced yesterday that P. Madar and A. T. Bridge had been selected to play in the Interport match against Hong Kong in October. This brings the total up to eight, leaving three vacancies still to be filled. The eight are A. J. Barson, E. Booth, A. T. Bridge, M. J. Dwyer, J. B. H. Leckie, P. Madar, H. V. Parker, and L. F. Stokes.

The tentative Interport arrangements are that Hong Kong will arrive on October 4. The Interport match will start on Tuesday, October 6, and the following two days, October 7 and 8, will be set aside for its completion. On Saturday, October 10 Hong Kong will play the Shanghai Recreation Club, and on October 12 the Rest of Shanghai.

NORTHWAY KILLED INSTANTLY BAKEWELL IN SERIOUS CONDITION

MOTOR-CAR ENTERS DITCH AFTER CRASH

Leicester, August 27.

MR. Reginald Philip Northway, the 27-year-old Northants amateur cricketer, was killed, and A. H. Bakewell, the Northants and England batsman, was severely injured, in a motor-car accident near Kibworth, Leicestershire, early to-day.

The car in which they were travelling left the road between Great Glen and Kibworth. It crashed through a hedge and overturned in a field. Mr. Northway is believed to have been driving. The two cricketers were returning from Chesterfield, where in the second innings of the match against Derbyshire Bakewell made 241 runs not out—only 16 short of the highest score of his career.

Their crash is a heavy blow for Northants cricket—struggling with many adversities. Bakewell was the country's batting mainstay; Northway, stubborn in defence, scored a century against Somerset this season. Two other Northants cricketers, J. E. Timms and A. L. Cox, were driving in front of the car which crashed. Near Market Harborough they missed its headlights, turned back, and discovered the accident.

They found Northway in a ditch dead, apparently from head injuries. Bakewell was in the field, his skull fractured, his left shoulder lacerated, and his right wrist severely injured. Bakewell was taken to Leicester Royal Infirmary, where later in the day an operation, understood to be for the relief of pressure on the brain, was performed. His condition is critical, but to-night was stated to show a slight improvement.

Wife At Bedside

Mrs. Bakewell has been by his bedside throughout the day. His mother is expected to reach the hospital to-morrow.

For a time there was some doubt as to the identity of the two men. Bakewell's name was given to the ambulance men; but not to the police, and as he kept on crying out for "Timmy" it was thought that the dead man was Timms.

It was not until between 9 and 10 o'clock this morning that Mr. Northway was definitely identified by his brother, Mr. Richard Northway, of Cheltenham, and the Rev. R. N. Beasley, rector of Grafton Regis, Northants, with whom he had been staying.

Inquest Adjourned

The inquest on Mr. Northway was opened at Kibworth this evening and adjourned until October 22 because of the serious condition of Mr. Bakewell, who, the coroner said, was the only actual witness.

Dr. E. F. Simkin said that death was due to multiple head injuries, Mr. Northway's skull being severely crushed. It must have been instantaneous.

The accident occurred at a sharp bend in the road. A jurymen expressed the opinion that danger signs should be erected near the spot to warn motorists of a dangerous hump-back bridge.

GOALPOSTS BEHIND THE LINE

Arsenal's Strange Fallacy

WHAT MIGHT HAVE HAPPENED IN THE CUP

For over 70 years goal posts used in Association football have been placed on the goal line. Somehow the idea started in Yorkshire that this was all wrong, and that the posts should be behind the line. The idea travelled South.

Arsenal, ever receptive to new ideas, placed the goal posts behind the line for their home match with Everton.

Everton were beaten, and if they cared to protest that the field of play was not properly marked they would be within their rights.

A Fallacy

The new idea is a fallacy. Arsenal's goal posts were outside the field of play. The law on the subject is explicit. It says: "The goals shall be upright posts fixed on the goal-line, equidistant from the corner flag staffs, eight yards apart, with a bar across them eight feet from the ground." The Arsenal's action has aroused much comment in football circles, and it is expected that some action will be taken by the F. A. and the League.

It is interesting to note that had the Arsenal's innovation been made in a Cup-tie, it would have invalidated the result.

MOHAMMED NISSAR'S LAST MATCH

One Of India's Best Bowlers

WONDERFULLY EASY DELIVERY

(By "THE TWELFTH MAN")
London, August 17.

It is stated that Mohammed Nissar leaves this week for India, his leave having expired. There are not many more matches to be played, but his services will be greatly missed.


H. A. R. Carson says that Nissar is a magnificent bowler and, considering his huge size, his ability to bowl all day long, and keep up the pace he does, he is one of the grandest bowlers of the present time in cricket.

Not Well Supported

Nissar was over here with the All India team in 1932 and took 71 wickets at a cost of 18 runs apiece. This season his wickets have cost a few more runs, but I am not certain that he has been so well supported in the slips. When the ball is on the ball he can swing it well, and at times can bring it back rather awkwardly. For a man of his weight he has a wonderfully easy delivery.

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The Budget

A scrutiny of the Budget expenditure figures for the Colony for 1937 reveals the not uninteresting fact that 18.23 per cent. of the total expenditure is to go for defence, including the Volunteer Defence Corps (52), the Naval Volunteer Force (14) and the Military Contribution (17.57). The Police Force (10.74) and the Prisons Department (3.33) account for another 14.07 per cent. between them. The Public Works Department takes 8.44 per cent. and Pensions 7.19 per cent., while the Medical Department and Education come a poor sixth and seventh with 6.99 and 6.98 per cent. respectively. These figures may all no doubt be taken as a sign of the times, and it is but poor consolation to remark that the times in consequence seem somewhat out of joint. There appears to us to be another unfortunate tendency in the Government's attempts at economy, and that is the apparently extensive use which has been made of the "axe" among the subordinate levels of the Government services.

In the Colonial Secretary's Memorandum it is stated that in the Sanitary Department "further retrenchment is seen in the abolition of two posts of motor-drivers, three of messengers, six of foremen and 86 other minor posts"; in the Kowloon-Canton Railway "retrenchment in staff has been effected by the abolition of a number of posts of watchmen, drivers, firemen, brakemen, fitters and coolies"; in the Electrical Department of the P.W.D. "the posts of Wireless Engineer, one rigger's mate, two coolies and one gardener have been abolished"; other posts abolished are "one overseer in the Port Development Department and one lorry driver"; while "the staff of the statistical office has been slightly reduced." In fairness to all concerned it must also be recorded that it is not proposed to ask "at present" for new appointments to fill the vacancies caused by the promotion of Mr. N. L. Smith and the retirement of Messrs. Trautman and Breen, and that the recruitment for the European Clerical and Accounting Staff has been suspended and vacancies are for the present being filled by local recruits. The point seems to arise, nevertheless, that there has been a tendency to look for economies at the wrong end of the scale. The dismissal of odd coolies, lorry-drivers, gardeners and messengers can surely not make such a vital difference to the finances of the Colony as all that.

Points which cannot be ignored about the Budget estimate statement as a whole include the following: That the deficit is estimated at \$3,500,000, even after the transference of \$500,000 from the Trade Loan Fund; that the only department to show a saving in expenditure is the Railway—to which no doubt the "watchmen, drivers, firemen, brakemen, fitters and coolies" who have been thrown out of work substantially contributed; and that the total estimated expenditure for 1937 is roughly \$2,000,000 higher than the revised estimates for 1936. Further, the allotment for Public Works amounts to only about half of this year's figure. In the circumstances there is scope for the enquiry whether the projected economies are as bright

KOWLOON RESIDENT IN COURT

Fined For Careless Driving

CASTLE PEAK ROAD INCIDENT

Before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfayden, at the Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday, R. Baldwin, of No. 9 Middle Road, driver of private car No. 1330, admitted a summons of driving without due care and caution at Castle Peak Road near Tsing Lau-tau about 6 p.m. on August 9.

Traffic Sergeant W. MacHardy said defendant was driving his car from Castle Peak towards Kowloon, and arriving at the village of Tsing Lau-tau, he passed private car T315 driven by Mr. Au Yung-sing. At that time, motorcycle No. 478 and another motor car were parked on the left side of the road.

Blew His Horn

Car No. T315, on seeing the motorcycle, drew to the centre of the road, and defendant, who was behind, continually blew his horn. T315 drew to the left and practically stopped to allow the defendant's car to pass. Sergeant MacHardy added that if T315 had not drawn into the left and stopped, the only result would have been that defendant would have gone over the bank, causing a serious accident. There was no room to pass at all.

Defendant said he could not recall the particular occurrence. He was not sure he was on that road that Sunday evening.

The Magistrate remarked that Castle Peak Road was particularly dangerous, but taking defendant's good record into consideration, he imposed a fine of \$15.

EXPLANATION OF TO-DAY'S CARTOON

Won Championships 20 Years Apart

PAT McDONALD, who stands well over 6 feet in height and weighs in the neighbourhood of 300 pounds; is a mountain of strength and power, and he has always been a formidable contender in weight-throwing contests. In 1907, McDonald won the National Junior Championship in the 56-pound weight-throwing event, tossing it out 37 feet. Years later, competing on the team of the New York Athletic Club, he won the A.A.U. Championship with a toss of 36 feet, 4 1/2 inches.

Mr. McDonald is now Captain McDonald of Traffic "H", New York Police Department, and still takes an active part in his favourite field event. He has established 8 weight-throwing records including 2 Olympic records—the 16 pound shot put in Stockholm, Sweden, and the 56 pound weight record, Antwerp. He has won more national championships in weights than any other living athlete.

as they are painted.

Nevertheless, the public should welcome the fact that the proposed new taxation is comparatively slight. The P.B. Motorist is again to be mulcted by an increased tax on motor vehicles from 30 to 40 per cent., and in accordance with the theory of the French philosopher of old, that a man takes a certain malicious pleasure in the discomfiture of even his best friend, the non-official section of the community will perhaps acquiesce in the decision to continue the Civil Servants' levy for another year with commendable fortitude—remembering always that Duties account for 22.30 per cent. of revenue and Licences and Internal Revenue. Not Otherwise Specified for 45.86 per cent., and that these revenues are found primarily by the ordinary taxpayer. Finally, in general we feel that we must agree with an estimate which has frequently been made—that the possibilities of balancing our local budget will continue to be obscure, under present conditions, unless the dollar is divorced from the Chinese dollar and pegged to sterling, in which medium most of the Colony's commitments are undertaken.

Here There and Everywhere.

THE STALWART PAIR

Even the staid *Financial Times* can unbend occasionally, as will be seen from the following table published in that paper recently, in reference to the Townsend Plan:

Estimated population of the United States of America	124,000,000
Those subject to old-age pensions under the Townsend Plan	50,000,000
Balance	74,000,000
Minors ineligible to work under the Child Labour Laws	60,000,000
Balance	14,000,000
Number of unemployed according to Father Coughlin	13,999,998
Leaving the number to produce the country's requirements	*

DENTAL 'BUSMAN

A correspondent recently visited his dentist. He said that he was starting his holiday that day. Wondering what form of relaxation comes best after 11 months' oral excavation, the correspondent asked him how he proposed to spend his first morning's leisure. "In my consulting room," he said, "having my teeth examined by any partner."

Your Daily Smile!

The group of police recruits were being taught the rudiments of their job. "Now, suppose you wished to disperse a mob," said the superintendent, "what would you do?" "Pass the hat, sir," answered Casey.

Ahem!

The professor and a student were discussing peculiarities of English speech. Said the former: "Now, sugar is the only word beginning with *su* which has the sound of *h* between the *s* and *u*."

"Are you sure?" returned the student.

Not So Smart

"I hear that you have a very clever daddy who understands sixteen languages," said the teacher.

"Must be a mistake, miss," replied Tommy. "When I took home my school report, he said, 'What is the meaning of this?'"

GERMANY'S AIMS IN AFRICA

BURNING QUESTION OF COLONIES

"COLONIAL KETTLE IS ABOUT TO BOIL OVER"

It is a long time since Bismarck said "I want no colonies: they are good for nothing but supply stations. For us in Germany this colonial business would be just like the silken robes of the noble families in Poland who have no shirts to their backs," or since he stated that a colony "is not worth the bones of a single Pomeranian Grenadier."

These statements were made long before the German fleet had become a reality. Since then a great deal has happened in the colonial sphere, but in spite of the loss of colonies and prestige in Africa another German fleet is being built, and it cannot be long before the claim for colonial expansion will become as important and insistent as it was when the firm of Woermann was establishing its business on the West African littoral and Adolf Luderitz was making his pioneer efforts on the coasts of South Africa.

Little Said Officially

Officially, little has been said in Germany on the question of colonies. It is a question that can only be settled, if settled at all, after long negotiations and these will probably be carried on behind the scenes and little heard of them until "public opinion" has been sufficiently soothed or doped.

Herr Hitler himself has been severely "edited" by the censor and comparatively little of his speech at Munich on January 26, 1936, found its way into the German Press. He said in effect that Germany is now so strong that she needs no help from the League and that colonies are acquired by right of might. The white race, by its heroic conception of life, he stated, is destined to rule.

Europe needs raw materials and colonies, he asserted, and speaking generally on the colonial question the Führer said that "Nowadays it is believed that the task of coloni-

sation is to make undeveloped peoples independent, but no one is eager to act on this by granting them independence." Subsequently, at Berlin, on February 16, he declared that Germany had too large a population for the area available.

Only Official Statements

These somewhat cautious references to the need for colonies are about the only official statements on the question that were made in Germany prior to the momentous declaration contained in the German memorandum of March 7.

Even that epoch-making document only expresses the expectation that in due course, by means of friendly negotiations, the question of colonial equality will be clarified.

Everything depends, of course, upon the meaning of the term "colonial equality," and so far all the colony-owning Powers, Britain, France, Portugal, Spain, Belgium and Holland have not shown any compelling desire to give what Germany would regard as a fair deal.

Enormous Headway

Nevertheless, the movement for the recovery of the German colonies or the obtaining of territorial compensation elsewhere at the expense of Portugal, Spain, Holland, or Belgium, has made enormous headway; and the political, financial, and economic newspapers and other periodicals of Germany for many months have expounded Germany's need for colonial expansion and warned England and other countries that the colonial kettle is about to boil over.—*United Empire*.

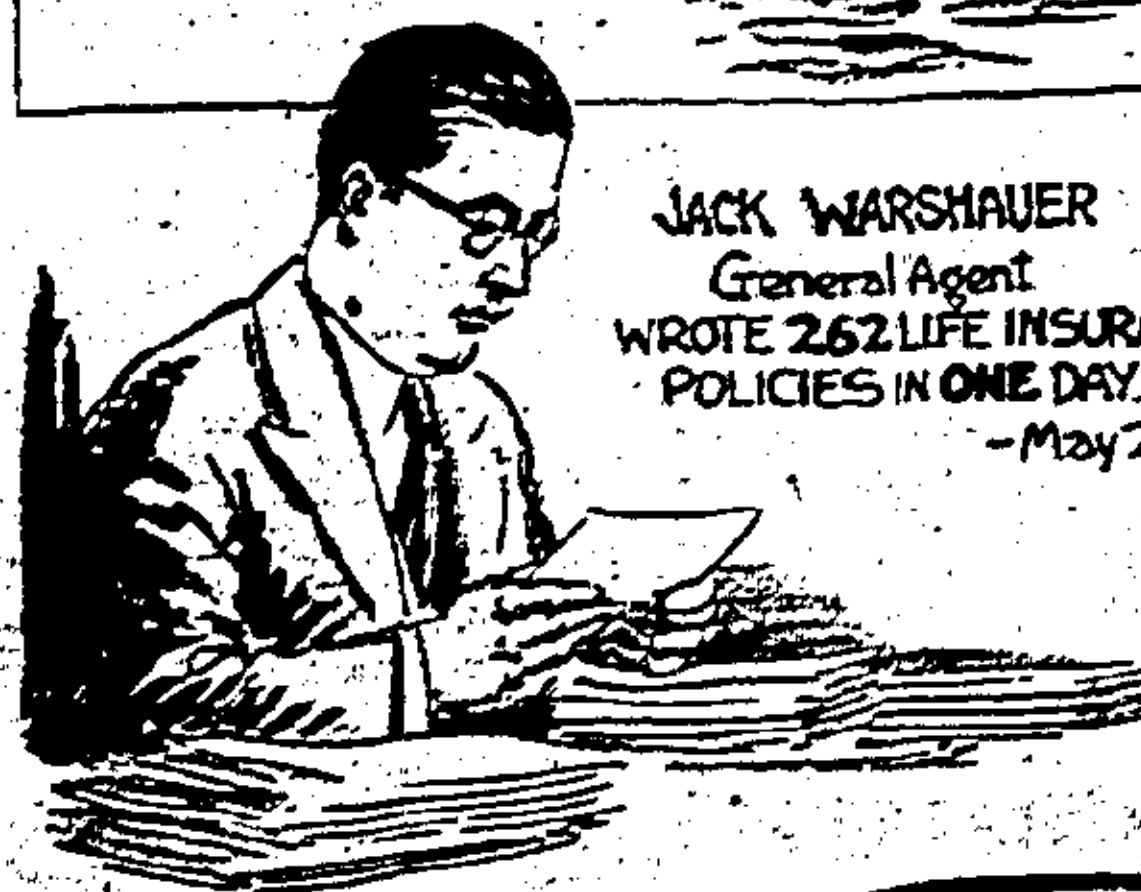
BOY'S STRANGE ACCIDENT

When Edward Davison, a 16-year-old schoolboy, of Anglesey, was running away from a bull recently, a gun he was carrying went off, injuring him seriously in the chest.

"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



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LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia leaves Nagasaki to-morrow morning for Shanghai and Hong Kong.

Two cases each of diphtheria and enteric fever were reported to the local Health Authorities during the 24 hours ended on Thursday.

A small jumble sale will be held on Friday next at No. 1, Ice House Street, at 2.30 p.m. when evening dresses, men's evening suits, summer clothes and oddments will be available, the proceeds being in aid of the Hong Kong Benevolent Society.

We have received an interesting booklet entitled "Pilgrimage to Greater India" by Swami Sadananda, published in Calcutta, about a recent journey he undertook in Indo-China, Java and Bali, studying the Buddhist religious tendencies in those places. There is a great deal of interesting information about sculptures and temples which the author encountered in his trip.

The R.M.A. Dorado left here at 11 a.m. yesterday, carrying three passengers for Penang—Miss H. V. Stuart, British, Mr. A. Alcan, French, and Dr. O. Fischer, Italian—10,500 kilos. of freight and 49,873 kilos. of mail.

Motorists will be interested to learn that the Castle Peak road, which was blocked following the recent heavy rains, is now open to traffic along its whole route.

Miss Norah Flint, who has been rather seriously ill and is at the Matilda Hospital, is progressing well and hopes to resume work with her pupils in about a fortnight.

Swami Sadananda Giri, a San-nyasi of the Das-nami Order of Vedantists, founded by the great Shankaracharya in the eighth century, arrived in Hong Kong yesterday from Haiphong by the steamer Paul Doumer. He expects to be here for a week, and will return to Singapore, from where he will go to the Dutch East Indies and then back to Calcutta. His travels will furnish him with sufficient material, he thinks, for another book, in addition to that which he has already published, referred to elsewhere in this issue.

It is announced in the Government Gazette that Mr. George Stacy Kennedy-Skipston resumed duty as District Officer in the Southern District of the New Territories on September 12.

TIGER AGAIN

Pug-Marks Seen Near Reservoir

After months of inactivity, the Kowloon tiger has apparently returned again, and according to Sergt. W. N. Winslade, attached to the Mongkok Police Station, he was walking along a little path near the Kowloon Reservoir on Thursday when he came upon a few pug-marks, deeply imprinted on the sandy surface of the path. Most of them were very clear, and had evidently been made shortly after the heavy rains last week, when the ground was soft and wet.

Opinion at Mongkok station, is divided, some declaring that the marks are those of a tiger, while others say that a full-grown tiger would make pug-marks larger than those found.

ALL-DAY CRICKET MATCH

Army To Meet The Navy

The Army will meet the Navy in a cricket match at King's Park to-morrow commencing at 11 a.m. when they will be represented by—

Lieut. Col. W. T. Crewdson (R.A.), Major H. A. Davies (R.W.F.), Major E.J.R. Mitchell (Volunteers), Capt. L. J. Welch (R.A.S.C.), Capt. D. B. Mitchell (R.A.), Lieut. E.D.D. Wilson (R.U.R.), Lieut. J. Drummond (R.U.R.), Lieut. B. J. Scott-White (R.U.R.), Lieut. I. C. Harris (R.U.R.), Private Humphreys (Volunteers), and Private Frost (Volunteers).

SHARE MARKET

Messrs. Harriman's Weekly Report

Messrs. G. A. Harriman & Co.'s weekly share report and market review, issued at noon yesterday states:—

It has been an exciting week of active trading in the Hong Kong share market. Local leaders have been supported throughout the week, with practically an all round improvement in quotations, and the market closes firm with buyers still unsatisfied.

The Manila mining market developed weakness on Tuesday and shares, over the next two days declined sharply in the heaviest set-back this section of the market has sustained, since it commenced its phenomenal upward movement in May, last. Prices however rallied spectacularly at close and most stocks recovered the losses made during the previous three days. This shake-out, followed by the closing wave of buying is a healthy sign and augers well for a continuance of active trading. It also serves to show the inherent strength of the Manila market.

Hong Kong Utility stocks were carried to new highs for the second half of 1936, China Lights being very heavily dealt in, from \$13.50 up to \$15.75 cash buyers & \$16.50 December, a rise of 2 1/4. Hong Kong Electric was taken, in quantity from \$54.50 to \$55 ex div. H.K. Trams again fluctuated considerably closing, however, quiet at around \$12.25 buyers. There are buyers of Star Ferries at \$94.50, Yau-mati Ferries at \$22 and Sandakan Lights at offer. Telephones are firmly supported, the old shares at \$30.25 bid and the "new" wanted at \$10.80. Wharves appreciated to \$113 and Providents (old) were in continued demand up to \$2.25. Docks were firmly enquired for at \$14.

Hotels are active with sellers reluctant to part. At close there are cash buyers at \$6.10 and good forward enquiries at a considerable premium over this rate, i.e. \$6.35 November with no forward sellers. Lands are at \$40.50, Humphreys \$9.50 and Dairies \$22 buyers. Unions continue to be taken at \$580 and Banks at \$1610. Philippine Mining shares after considerable fluctuation close firm and buyers predominate. Suyocs, which were last week's outstanding feature of strength up to \$1.40, suffered a relapse to \$1.10, but recovered to a closing rate of \$1.25 at which figure business was transacted. Demonstrations went down to \$1.45, but large buying orders for this share brought them up to close \$1.55 buyers. Baguio Gold declined to 60 cts. and Benguet Exploration to 45 cts. Big Wedge, exceptionally, have kept very steady at 82 cts. cash. Atokis slipped to \$1.05 but close higher at \$1.15. San Mauricos, Itogons, United Paracales and I.X.L. are all below last week's best, but close in good buying enquiry at the slightly reduced values.

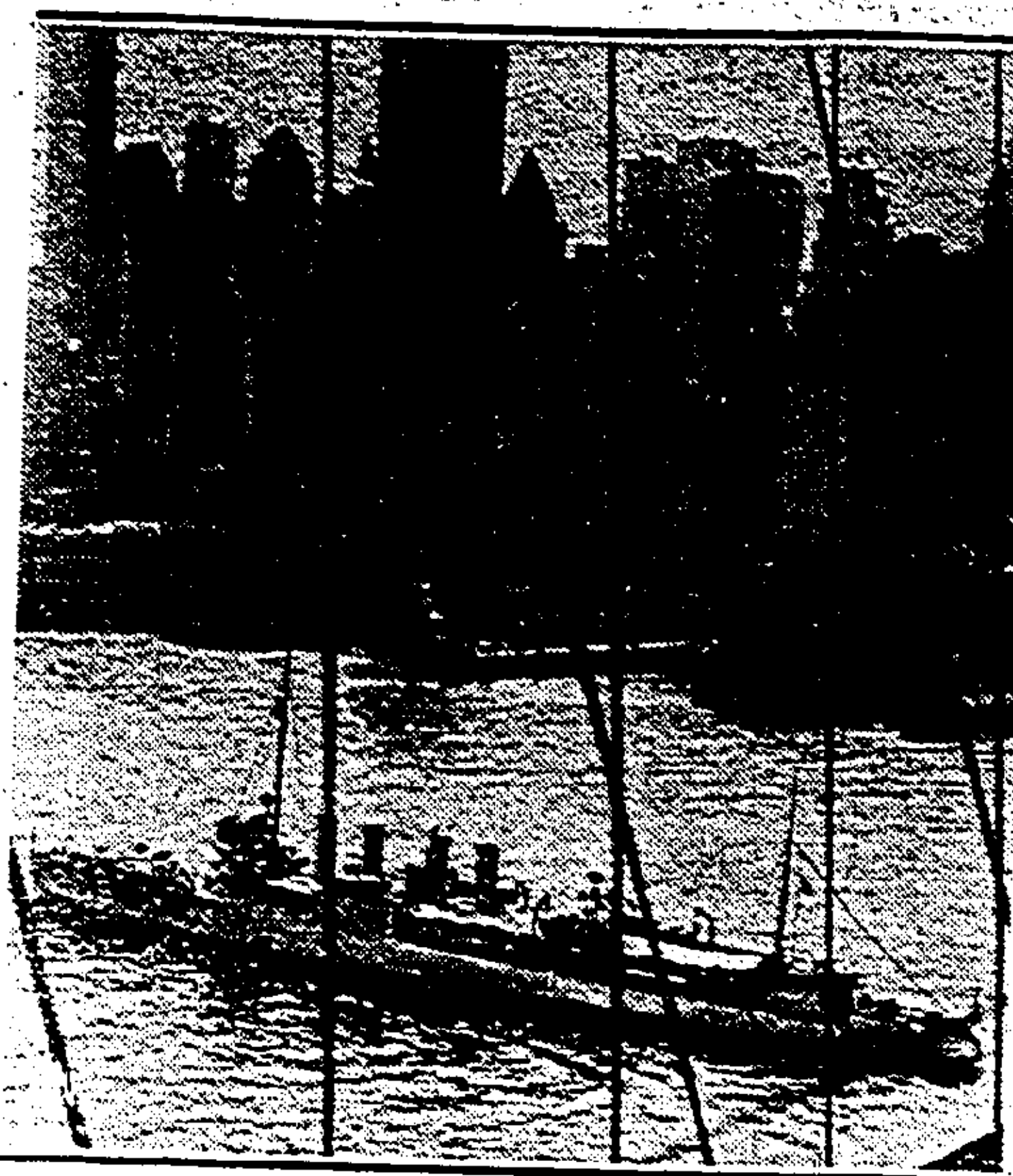
In conclusion we report a very firm market for Hong Kong stocks, with the tendency upward and we also look for continued activity in the Manila market, which appears healthier for its recent shake-out.

GOLF STARTING TIMES

2 Major Competitions At Valley To-morrow

The Royal Hong Kong Golf Club starting times for Happy Valley to-morrow in the championship of Happy Valley and Captain's Cup competitions are as follows:—

8.30 a.m. J. Rodger, E. Young, 8.35 A. L. Powell, T. B. Low, 8.45 W. S. Hillier, A. J. Dennis, 9.00 E. H. Mundy, K. S. Robertson, 9.05 A. H. McBride, T. R. Chassels, 9.10 W. W. C. Shewan, D. S. Edward, 9.15 E. L. S. Webb, A. A. Bremner, 9.20 E. N. Williamson, L. B. Holmes, 9.25 Capt. J. Whyte, E. H. Watts, 9.30 J. B. Mackie, A. V. Greaves, 9.35 A. D. Humphreys, O. Eager, 9.40 Col. Blake, H. Jussard, 9.45 C. H. Burton, A. N. O'Neil, 9.50 F. J. de Rome, J. W. Frank, 9.55 X. Blake, X. Blake, 10.20 T. D. Paton, A. T. Brasley.



Screened by the cables of Brooklyn Bridge, the American destroyer Kane is here shown steaming down East River. New York, headed for the Spanish coast where, with the Hatfield, she took over the work of evacuating Americans from Spain and was bombed in the process.

FORMER RESIDENT PASSES

Mr. Allan Keith Dies In England

News has been received in the Colony of the death, at Home on Wednesday last, of Mr. Allan Keith, formerly secretary of the Green Island Cement Company. The late Mr. Keith first came to Hong Kong in 1909 to join Shewan, Tomes and Company. He worked in the department which had charge of the Green Island Cement Company's interests, and latterly had been Secretary of the firm on its ceasing to be managed by Shewan, Tomes. He retired at the beginning of last year owing to ill-health, sailing for Home in February.

Educated at Aldenham, he has, it is understood, more than one old school friend still out here. Some years ago, Mr. Keith also had a sister in the Colony, the wife of Commander Boucher (now a Captain, R.N.), who was then in charge of the Naval Yard here. A brother is a solicitor in London. A bachelor, the late Mr. Keith leaves no other near relatives. Since his return to England on retirement he had been residing at Bexhill-on-Sea.

FOUR AQUATIC TITLES FOR TO-NIGHT

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The first championship event will be the 50 Yards free-style, in which Cpl. McCarthy, of the East Lancashire Regiment, and H. L. Ozorio, of the University, stand the best chance of winning, while Lieut. A. J. Lewis, of the Royal Welch Fusiliers, R. Goldman, of the European Y.M.C.A. and Rfm. Hamilton, of the Royal Ulster Rifles, have outside chances.

There was very little difference in the times returned by the five finalists, all of whom were clocked at under 28 seconds, which is, however, not very good time. The 100 Yards breast-stroke championship will be most interesting this year, in view of the absence of Kwok Chun-hang, the Colony and Interport champion.

Good Race Expected

E. M. Marques, the Colony's first string swimmer against the Philippines Olympic contingent, is a slight favourite, while Wong Ju-man, of the Mak Ngai Association, is a very strong challenger. Cpl. Fildes, of the East Lancs, is the best outside chance.

Although there were originally nine entrants for the Colony Diving Championship, 1 understand that several of these have now withdrawn as they are unable to perform the number of dives required. Among these are Cpl. Stevens, Spr. Jordan and L/Cpl. Dunk, of the Sappers, while I understand that the same applies to L/Cpl. F. Gorman, of the East Lancs, and Fna. Owens, of the Fusiliers.

Divers Who Count

Should this be the case, there will only be four divers left to dispute the title, and of these Lionel Roza-Ferreira, the former Colony swimming champion, is the favoured Army team, which should provide a good sport.



BOXING AT THE CHINESE "Y"

Six Bouts On The Programme

A boxing tournament was held in the Chinese Y.M.C.A. gymnasium last night when some excellent bouts were seen, the full results being as follows:— Iron Box, Jr., (115 lbs.) beat Kid Yue (118 lbs.) on points. A. D'Assis (122 lbs.) lost to W. M. Cheng (122 lbs.) on points. Willy Souza (118 lbs.) lost to Young Ismail (118 lbs.) on points. I. S. A. Curram (135 lbs.) beat Maurice Wong (135 lbs.) on a technical knock-out. "Sky" Lee (125 lbs.) lost to Batting Rio (146 lbs.) on a knock out.

THRILLING POLO MATCH AT BOUNDARY ST.

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fine style. Play was confined to the Artillery area for some time and then Lt. Baker-Carr took the ball up for Major Currie to score from the 60-yard line. He scored again soon after. When the third chukker opened, a foul by Major Currie resulted in a 60-yard hit for the Rifles and Capt. Frizelle hit an excellent shot which, unfortunately, hit Major Currie's pony and was cleared. A minute or so later Major Currie scored again from a pass by Lt. Metcalfe.

Scores Level

The ball remained for some time in the Rifles' half during the last chukker, and some good saves were being made until Lt. Metcalfe scored. From the throw-in the ball was rushed up to the Rifles' end and after a little delay Lt. Baker-Carr scored to make it 7-all.

With only two minutes to play, Lt. Metcalfe scored to give the Artillery a well-deserved win, the final score being 8-7 in their favour.

Royal Artillery—Major Currie (5), Lt. Metcalfe (3), Lt. Marston (0), Lt. Baker-Carr (4). Rifles—Col. Rodwell (1), Capt. Frizelle (3), Lt. Harris (2), Lt. Fitz-Douglas (1).

The Hong Kong Area title, is also in the running, while Wong Woon-ai, a Chinese competitor, has also been practicing assiduously off the 3-metre board at the V.R.C. In the last championship event of the evening, Wilfred Lawrence, the holder, should retain his fourth Colony championship in the Quarter-Mile, in which he will be swimming against Pte. F. Taylor and Pte. J. Enlme, both of the East Lancs.

This will be another case of Lawrence having to set the pace on his own as neither of his opponents will be able to give him much of a race. The concluding feature of to-night's programme will be the water-polo match between the Victoria Recreation Club and a select Army team, which should provide a good sport.

MASS MEETING DISPERSED

Anti-Japanese Riot Planned?

QUICK ACTION BY POLICE

Thanks to prompt action on the part of the Police, a meeting which might have had very serious consequences was broken up and over 80 people taken into custody yesterday.

At about 8 p.m. over 150 police, Indian, Chinese and Europeans under Inspector Murphy and other C.I.D. officers, were drawn up in a cordon around premises at the junction of O'Brien Road and Gloucester Road. These premises were occupied by a school and served as a meeting place for a very large number of people including many students. It was stated that they were planning a disturbance in connection with the fifth anniversary of the Manchurian conquest.

Grown-up Students It was significant that the meeting should take place in a district containing a large Japanese community. Many of the "students" taken into custody were found to be workmen and coolies, mostly of adult age, as well as school-boys.

While sifting out the mass of statements presented by an unprecedentedly large number of prisoners taken in any one coup, the police were not inclined to make an official communique, but it was known that in acting as quickly as they did they were just in the nick of time to prevent what might have had serious results. It was not known if any arms were found among those arrested.



EASTERN TO MEET ROYAL NAVY

Two Soccer Matches To-morrow

To-morrow the Eastern Athletic will meet the Navy first and second strings on the Navy ground at Causeway Bay, the junior game to start at 3.30 p.m. and the senior at 5 p.m. The following are the respective teams in the junior match:

Navy:—Mersey; Underwood and Kellow; Thoburn, Benson (Capt.) and Reed; Peeper, Williams, Black, Hayes and Bain. The Eastern team will be selected from the following players:—Yip Yun-look, Lu Fook-wah, Pan Shui-on, Chan Yun-fat, Koo Kwok-chu, Lee Chi-hung, (Capt.), Chan Ying-to, Lee Bing-tong, Hau Sing-to, Foo Ping-yuen, Lee Wai-yuen, Lai Ting-choy, Yuen Shu and "Darky" Ma.

Senior Match Navy Seniors:—Church; Begier (Capt.), Nicholson; Craddock, White, Tuffnell, Le Page, Hobbs, Buckland Gould and Tozer. The Eastern eleven will be selected from the following:—Tang Yai-ming, Tsui Hang, Ng Ying-ay, Cheung Kwok-choi, George Yenn, Lai Tung-choi, Cheng Sci-hong, (Capt.), Sung Ning-sing, Tan Chutak, Chan Yu-tin, M. Sabhan, Lee Wing-on and Lai Ting-choi.

CHURCHES

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

(Branches of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.) Macdonnell Road, by Macdonnell Road Tram Station. Sunday Service, 11.15 a.m. Subject:—"MATTER." Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. A Reading Room is located at Bank of Asia Buildings, 10 Des Voeux Road, Central and is open daily, except Wednesdays and Saturdays: 10.30 a.m. to 2 p.m. 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesdays 10.30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. All authorised Christian Science Literature, is available at the Reading Room. The Public is cordially invited to attend the Services and visit the Reading Room.

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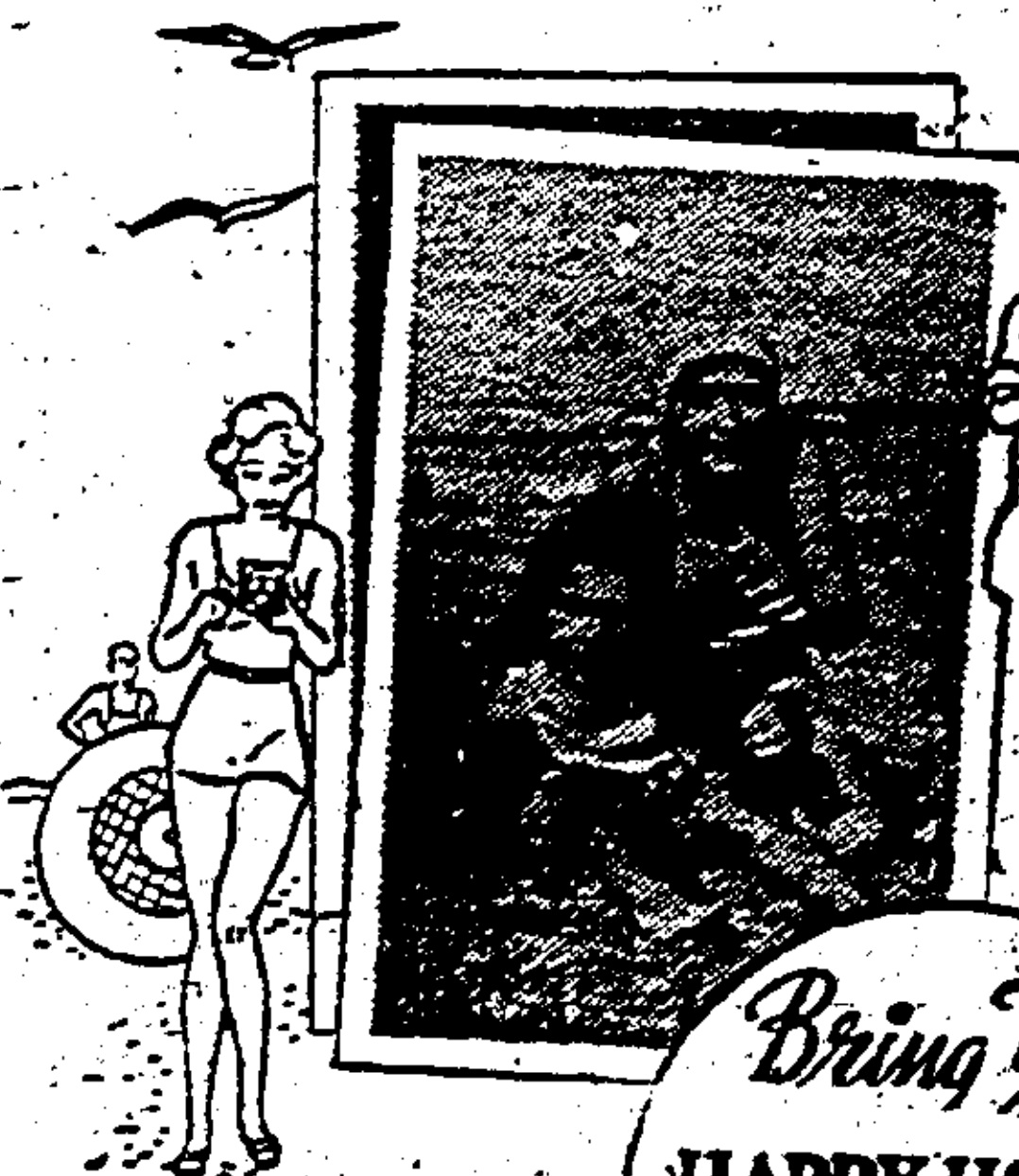
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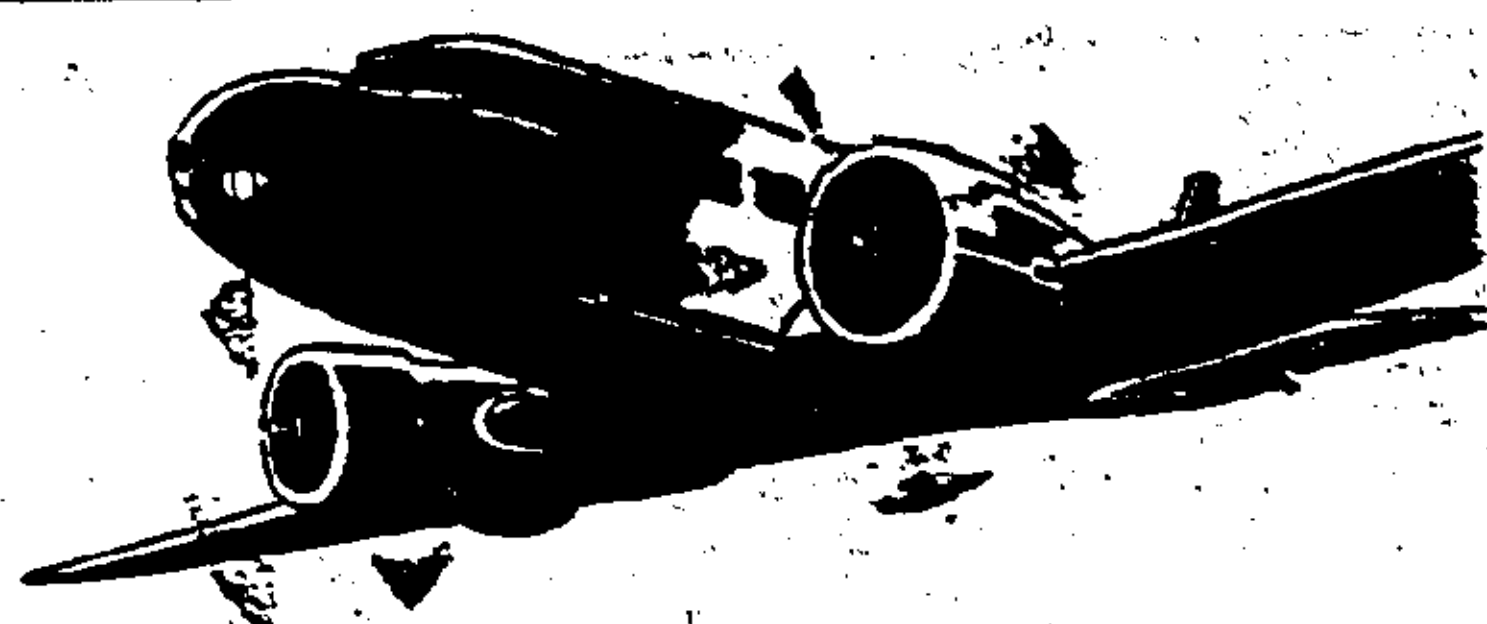
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RECORD IN BOMBERS BUILT FOR U.S. ARMY

Flying Tests Coming
Shortly

NEW BOEING FORTRESS

Soon to take its place in the United States Army Air Corps as one of the foremost aerial defence weapons ever devised, the first plane of a fleet of Boeing Model 299 (YB-17) four-engined bombers was nearing completion at the Boeing Aircraft Company in Seattle, Washington, last month. It is powered by the new 1,000 horsepower Wright Cyclone engines.

Although no definite date could be announced, it was expected that the plane would be ready for flight tests early this month.

The huge bomber is an all-metal mid-wing monoplane type of semi-monocoque construction. Both its landing gear and tail wheel are retractable, and it is equipped with air-operated wheel brakes. With a wing span of 105 feet and a gross weight of approximately 16 tons, it holds a significant place as the largest landplane yet produced in America. In speed it stands unexcelled by any other bombardment plane in the world.

BOMBING PLANE ON FIRE

"Like Blazing Comet"

Washington. An army bombing plane, which caught fire late last month while flying near Langley Aerodrome, Virginia, dashed to earth in flames and the three occupants were killed.

A fourth, Private N. D. Flinn, escaped by promptly obeying the order given by the pilot, Lt. Willard Marvin, to jump out with his parachute.

A farmer who saw the machine falling in flames said that it looked like a giant comet, with a tail of fire streaming out behind it.

AIR LINE BETWEEN U.S. AND RUSSIA

Declared Possible By Soviet Flier

Moscow. The establishment of a permanent air line between Russia and the United States was declared possible recently by Sigismund Levanevsky, the Russian aviator, who was resting at Cransoyok, Siberia, after his flight from California to Moscow with his flying companion, Victor Levenchenko.

The aviator flew from San Diego, California, to Moscow by way of Alaska and Siberia, with a view to mapping an air line between the two nations.

MAHARAJA'S FLIGHT

Concern Expressed
By Retinue

The Maharaja of Mysore, one of the richest men in the world, at the age of 52, recently made his first aeroplane flight, from London to Berlin. An 18-seater plane was chartered to take him and a retinue of 12, including his Prime Minister, Sir Mirza Ismail, and the goddess which accompanies the Maharaja on all his travels.

While the Maharaja was keenly looking forward to the flight, the attitude of those accompanying him was typified by the Prime Minister, who said before the trip: "If we are still alive, we hope to reach Switzerland about the end of August for a few days. But do you really think that it is safe?"

THE AVIATION SERVICE

The Volunteer Air Arm's Camp coincides with the date chosen for the Aviation Service in St. John's Cathedral. It has therefore been decided to postpone the Service either on September 27 to November 15.

FOREST FIRES NEAR KING'S RANCH

Lying Under Heavy Pall
Of Smoke

Calgary, Alberta. The King's E.P. ranch was lying under a heavy pall of smoke from uncontrolled forest fires 20 miles away last month, and burning embers were falling over the estate. The ranch, however, was in no immediate danger. The fires, which were the worst in the region for years, were gaining ground despite the efforts of more than 250 Government fire-fighters.

TATTOOED MAN HANGED

Horse's Head And
Jockey's Cap

Southend. A man out walking here recently found the body of a young man hanging by a rope from a tree at the side of a public footpath between Southchurch and Shopland. He was aged about 25 to 30, of slim build, dark hair, and wore a grey suit and brown shoes.

Tattooed on his right arm was a horse's head and a whip inside a horseshoe, with a jockey's cap above and "Good Luck" below. The rope had been obtained from a cricket ground.

"TROOPS: DANGER"

Shirt-Sleeved Army On
The March

Aldershot. An army in shirt sleeves, fully equipped for a war in Sussex, left Aldershot Barracks in the middle of last month.

One column of infantry, with their mechanised transport, was more than three miles long. An advance guard went in front carrying notices which said "Troops: Danger."

The men were marching through the lanes of Hampshire, Surrey, and Sussex. They bivouacked that night on the Surrey heathland and arrived at Petworth Camp the following afternoon.

AEROPLANE HITS LAMP-POST

Descent On A Road

Hythe. A light aeroplane belonging to Mr. Max Aiken was wrecked when it collided with a lamp-post at Hythe, Kent, last month. It was an Aerona monoplane and was piloted by Flight-Lt. Roger Bushell, of the 601st County of London Auxiliary Air Force. Both owner and pilot were in camp in Lymington Aerodrome.

In landing at Botolph's Bridge, Lt. Bushell overshot the field. He tried to take off again, but failed, and the machine came down on the Hythe-Lymington road, crashing into the iron lamp-post at a cross-roads. The pilot was unhurt.

English Law Of 1727 Broken For G.B. Shaw

Malvern.—Mr. G. Bernard Shaw, who has in the last 40 years broken many rules of the theatre, and had yet another broken for him in American visitors to the festival, which lasts for four weeks, and was this year more popular than ever before.

Mr. Shaw's lithe, active and knickerbockered figure has been one of the most prominent sights in Malvern during the summer. Continental and American tourists gaze on him with awe as he dashes about in his huge car, or rushes up and down the Worcestershire hills at almost equal speed on his legs. One American girl told him that she had vowed not to go home until she had spoken to him. "Well, you can go home now," replied Mr. Shaw.

In an impromptu speech which he delivered at a tea time conversation in the Malvern Winter Gardens, Mr. Shaw revealed a secret of his early days by declaring that, as a dramatic critic, he had never been able to do justice to the famous French actress, Sarah Bernhardt, because she was exactly like his Aunt Georgina.

H.K. VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps. Orders by Lieut. Colonel R. C. B. Anderson, M.C. Commandant. Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Hong Kong.

Friday, 18th September, 1936.

APPOINTMENT

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to approve of the grant of a Commission to Dr. George Ingram Shaw, M.B., Ch.B., as Lieutenant in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from 4th September, 1936. (Government Gazette, No. 50 dated 11.9.36. Notification No. 749).

PARADES

1st Battery

A Section

Thursday, 24th September.

Section will parade at H. Q. 5.30 p.m. for Squad and Rifle Drill.

Dress: Overalls.

L Section

Next parade at Belcher's Fort on Friday, the 25th September at 6.00 p.m. Dress: Overalls, Platform Shoes and Blue Caps.

M Section

Parade on Wednesday, 23rd September at 5.30 p.m. in H.M.S. "Tamar."

Corps Engineers

Monday, 21st September.—Min.

ature Range. Corps Recruit Drill for those detailed.

Thursday, 24th September.—D.

L Training at Belcher's Fort. Parade 6 p.m. Dress, Overalls. Haversack rations will be carried.

Corps Signals

Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 22nd September.

M. G. Troop

Parade at Causeway Bay on Tuesday, 22nd, at 5.30 p.m.

Armoured Car Section

Section will parade at H. Q. at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 22nd September, for Machine Gun instruction, Class B—E. G. D. Class C—Lead, Fire, Unload.

Motor M. G. Section

Parade at H. Q. at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 21st September, with belt and frog for Arms and Squad Drill.

No. 1 (M. G.) Company

Parade Corps H. Q. 5.30 p.m. Lecture on M. G. Characteristics.

No. 2 (Scottish) Company

Company will parade at H. Q. on Thursday, 24th September at 5.30 p.m. Training Film M. G. Drills and Duties will be shown. All ranks must be present.

No. 3 (M. G.) Company

Monday, 21st, at 5.30 p.m. Squads Nos. 1 to 4 will attend a Lecture on Discipline, Arrest, and Military Custody.

Squads Nos. 5 to 10 will receive instruction in Musketry (Leading, Aiming and Trigger Pressing).

Squad No. 11 will continue with Arms Drill.

Wednesday, 23rd, at 5.30 p.m.—The film "Defence of a Village" will be shown in the Lecture Room.

M. G. Bn. Signals

Monday, 21st September.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

Subject: "Matter"

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, HONG KONG

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science Churches to-morrow, September 20, will be "Matter."

The Golden Text will be "That which is born of the flesh is flesh: and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit." (John 3: 6.)

Amongst others, the following citations from the Bible will be read:—"Now therefore hearken, O Israel, unto the statutes and unto the judgments, which I teach you, for to do them, that ye may live, and go in and possess the land which the Lord God of your fathers giveth you. Did ever people hear the voice of God speaking out of the midst of the fire, as thou hast heard, and live? Or hath God assayed to go and take him a nation from the midst of another nation, by temptations, by signs, and by wonders, and by war, and by a mighty hand, and by S. A. T. Vol. 11 1931 pp. 18-24; a stretched out arm, and by great terrors, according to all that the Lord your God did for you in Egypt before your eyes? Unto these it was shewed, that thou mightest know that the Lord he is God: there is none else beside him." Know therefore this day, and consider it in thine heart, that the Lord he is God in heaven above, and upon the earth beneath, there is none else." (Deuteronomy 4: 1, 33-35, 39.)

God's Allness

The Lesson Sermon will also include the following passages from the Christian Science Text book "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy:—"In the material world, thought has brought to light with great rapidity many useful wonders. With like activity have thought's swift pinions been rising towards the realm of the real, to the spiritual cause of those lower things which give impulse to enquiry. Belief in a material basis, from which may be deduced all rationality, is slowly yielding to the idea of a metaphysical basis, looking away from matter to Mind as the cause of every effect. The unlikeliness of Spirit is matter, and the opposite of the real is not divine—it is a human concept. Matter is an error of statement. This error in the premise leads to errors in the conclusion in every statement into which it enters. Nothing we can say or believe regarding matter is immortal, for matter is temporal and is therefore a mortal phenomenon, a human concept, sometimes beautiful, always erroneous. The three great verities of Spirit, omnipotence, omniscience, omniscience—Spirit possessing all power, filling all space, constituting all Science—contradict for ever the belief that matter can be actual." (Pages 268, 277, 109.)

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Corps 1st Battery, A Section

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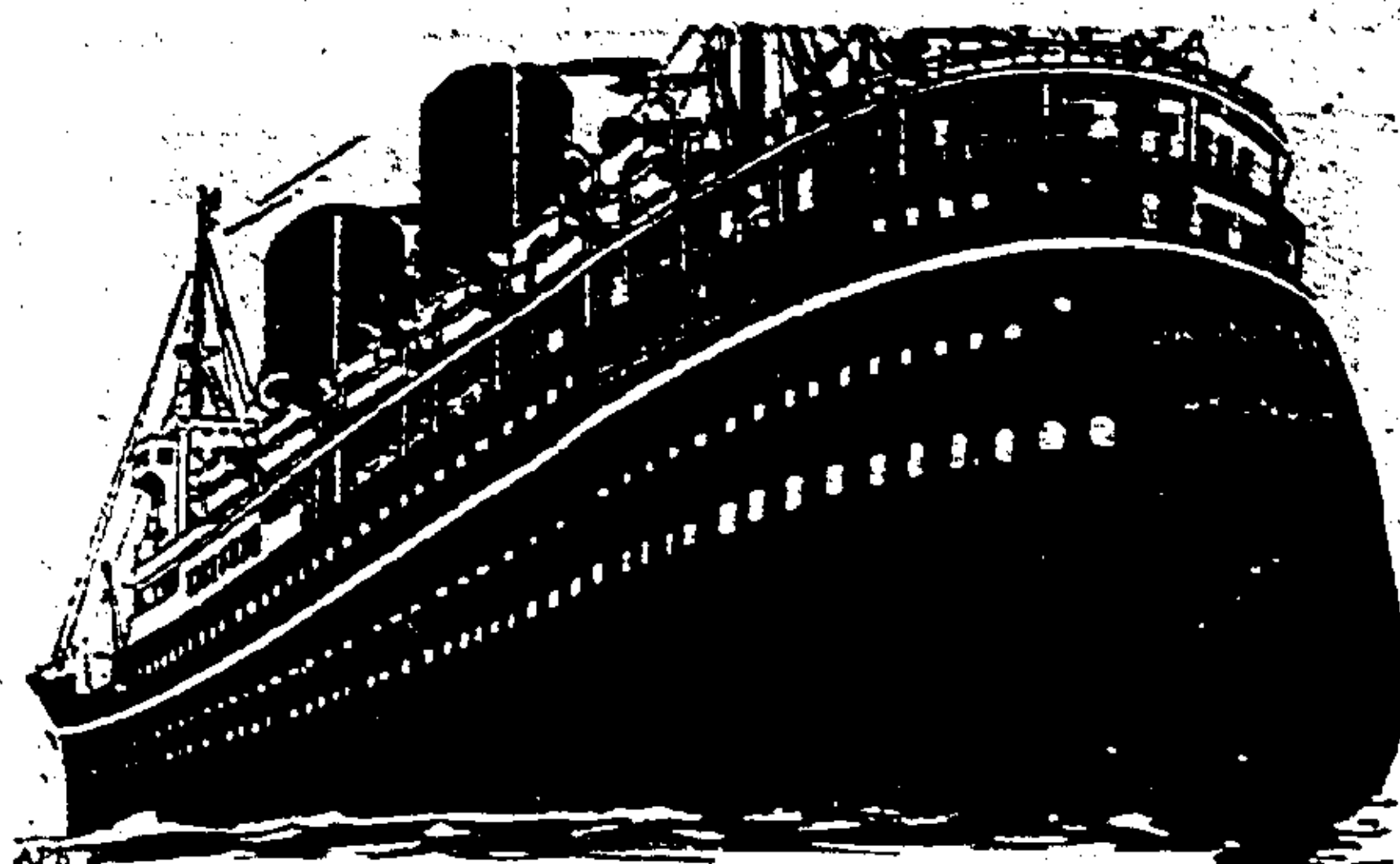
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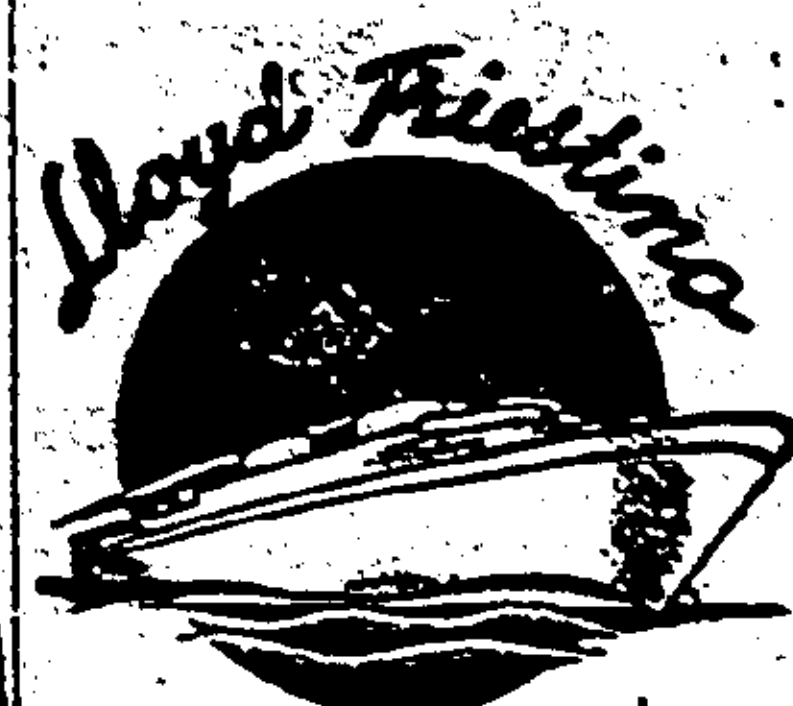
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FROM EUROPE

Soudan Sept. 28

FROM JAPAN

Hosang	Sept. 19
La Plata Maru	21
Naruto Maru	21
Emp. of Russia	24
Pres. Hoover	24
Rakuyo Maru	25
Atsuta Maru	25
Hakusan Maru	25
Pres. Garfield	25
Toyama Maru	27
Nagato Maru	28
Nankin	29

FROM STRAITS & INDIA

Tokushima Maru	Sept. 20
Menelaus	21
Tsushima Maru	22
Cremor	22
Asphalion	24
Yonsang	25
Kashima Maru	25
Dencalion	27
Ginjo Maru	27
Soudan	28
Gogra	29

FROM SHANGHAI

Teucer	Sept. 19
Soochow	19
Aeneas	21
Chenonceaux	22
Emp. of Russia	24
Pres. Hoover	24
Pres. Garfield	25
Scharnhorst	25

FROM MANILA

Pres. Taft	Sept. 21
Kitano Maru	21
Conte Rosso	25
Tjisondari	26
Dencalion	27

FROM AUSTRALIA

Kitano Maru Sept. 21

FROM U.S.A.

Emp. of Russia	Sept. 24
Pres. Hoover	24
Pres. Garfield	25

OUTWARD MAILS FOR EUROPE

Chitral (K.L.M. Service)	Sept. 19
Closes: Reg. 9.45 a.m.	
Ord. 10.20 a.m.	
D'Arctagnan (via Siberia)	19
Pres. Taft (via San Francisco)	22
Closes: Reg. 4 p.m. Ord. 5 p.m.	
Service (Air Orient)	22
Closes: 9.30 a.m. Ord. 10 a.m.	
Aeneas (via Marseilles)	22
Scharnhorst (via Marseilles)	25
Hakusan Maru	25
Pres. McKinley (via Siberia)	25
Closes: Reg. 6 p.m. Ord. 5.30 p.m.	

FOR U.S.A.

Kitano	Sept. 19
Pres. Taft	22
Pres. McKinley	25

FOR SHANGHAI

D'Arctagnan	Sept. 19
Pres. Taft	22
Conte Rosso	25
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Kashima Maru	25

FOR AUSTRALIA

Atsuta Maru	Sept. 25
Kitano Maru	25

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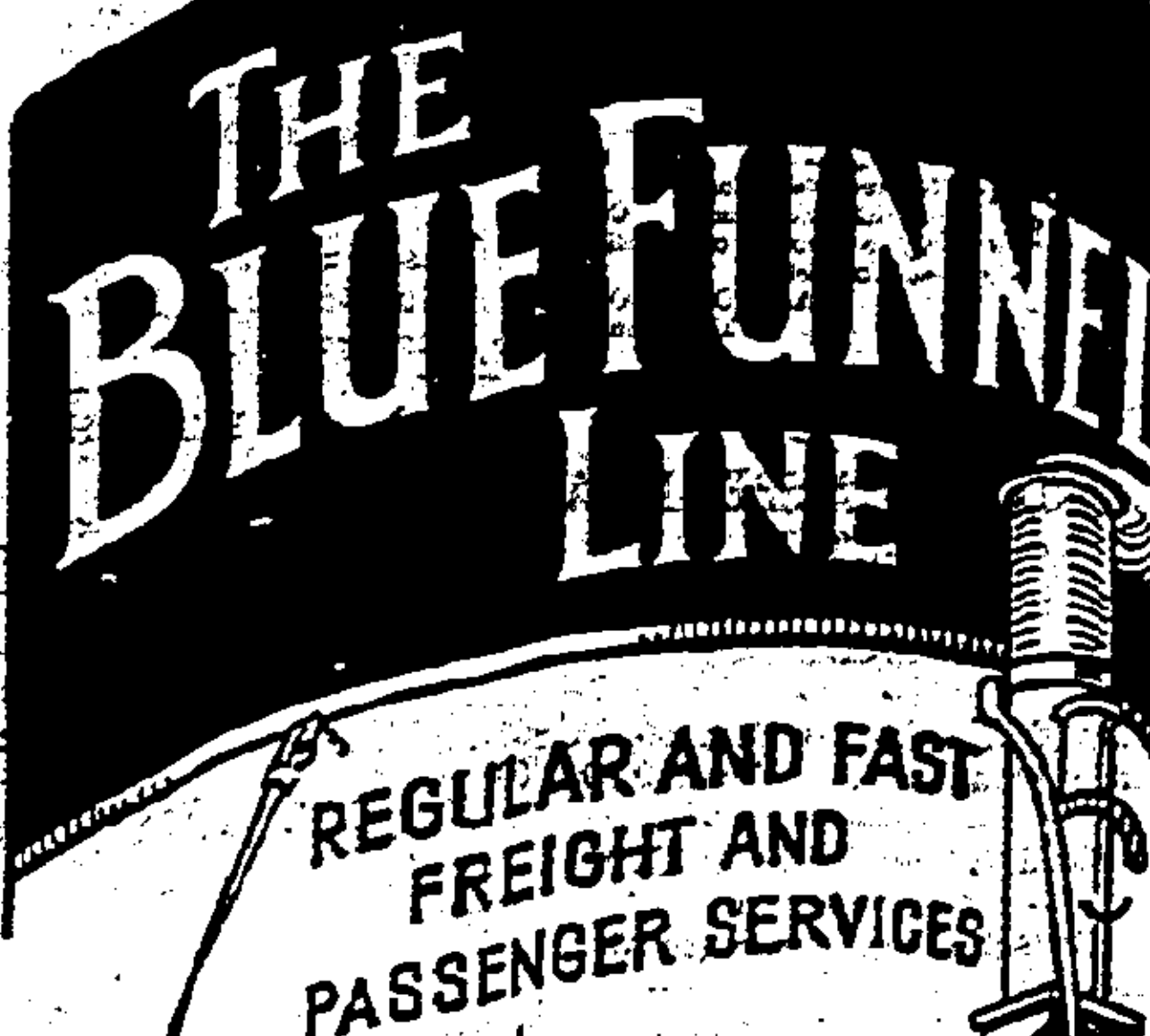
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Unusual Squeeze
Play

By Ely Culbertson.

When a generous correspondent supplies me with excellent material for one of these daily articles, why shouldn't I grasp the opportunity for a short vacation? I do, forthwith!

"Dear Mr. Culbertson: This is the most unusual squeeze play I ever made or remember. It was a squeeze and a throw-in, but it was not an end-play because it was a middle-play on the seventh trick. And, instead of having given up the four tricks I could afford to lose, first, it happened after the loss of only two.

"Played last night with my wife against Mrs. R. L. Winham as West and Bill Muench playing the role of East, the victim.

NORTH
S 10 4
H A J 5
D K Q 6 4 3
C A 7 5

EAST
S Q 8 3 S J 9 7 6 2
H 10 9 8 7 6 H K 3
D 5 D A 8 7
C J 8 6 3 C K 9 4

"My wife (she's the top, or North, hand) bid a diamond; Bill said a spade; I said two trump; my favourite wife said she'd have another of the same, not too sweet.

"West led the spade 3, if it matters, which it doesn't, and I let them keep it. I took the next and started diamonds. East eventually took the ace, and I took another spade, discarding a club, and ran diamonds, discarding a heart.

"I still was prosperous enough to afford to lose two more tricks. East was getting ready to foreclose when he discovered the New Deal wouldn't allow it. He had to give the Government one of his good spades or else his red 3 spot, in which case he'd be sold out in hearts. Or the same in clubs. So he turned in a spade and dummy led the ace and a low heart, so East collected only the legal rate of interest. You mix the next round of drinks and metaphors.

"What kind of squeeze is that? It didn't much matter what the opening lead was, or what anybody played, or when, or which opponent got thrown in.

"Yours,
"Philip E. Barney, Tampa, Fla."

There is, unfortunately, no particular name for the "kind of squeeze" referred to, but in any event, it was a good one. Mr. Barney's breezy style probably requires clarifying for less-than-expert players.

West opened the three of spades and declarer allowed East's nine to hold, winning the second round. The diamond ace was knocked out and, on the third round of spades, which followed, dummy discarded a club. Four rounds of diamonds were played, on the last of which South discarded a club. East had great difficulty finding safe discards for the

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The Theatres"TILL WE MEET AGAIN"—
QUEEN'S THEATRE

The heartaches of lovers, torn apart by their devotion to their respective countries, are dramatically brought to the screen in this picture, which shows two happy lovers, stars of the theatre in London, Herbert Marshall and his Viennese sweetheart, Gertrude Michael, whose wedding plans are wrecked by the declaration of war. Marshall, as a loyal Englishman, joins his colours and Miss Michael, who, unknown to her sweetheart, is a member of the German Secret Service, places herself under the orders of her commanding officer.

Marshall is assigned to the British Intelligence Service, and enters Germany, disguised as a German soldier. Miss Michael is also stationed in Germany, and when, accidentally, she meets her lover, realises that her love for him is so great that she cannot betray him. Unconsciously, however, she gives him away to the German authorities, as an English spy. Then she forgets her loyalty to her country, and risks death before a firing squad to save him.

The way in which the sweethearts outwit the German agents and make their successful escape across the border into a happier world of peace and love furnishes the unforgettable thrilling climax. Lionel Atwill, Rod LaRocque and Frank Reicher head the excellent supporting cast.

"SAN FRANCISCO"—KING'S
AND ALHAMBRA THEATRE

"San Francisco" promises to be one of the most talked-about pictures in many, many months.

First it teams three of the most popular screen stars for the first time—Clark Gable, Jeanette MacDonald and Spencer Tracy. It is a picture brimming with romance, love, comedy, beautiful music and excitement.

The picture takes us into the seething, mad excitement of the Barbary Coast when it was a byword around the world. It takes us into aristocratic Nob Hill, into the old Tivoli opera house, the historic Palace Hotel and other landmarks of the old San Francisco and to the earthquake that leveled a beautiful city to the ground 30 years ago, in a series of the most realistic disaster scenes ever filmed.

Clark Gable offers one of his greatest characterisations as Blackie Norton, owner of the most popular resort on the Coast, Jeanette MacDonald is superb as the country girl who starts her singing career on the Barbary Coast and rises to great operatic heights, only to return to the Coast because of the man she loves. Spencer Tracy scores in an unusual role as a kindly priest who chooses the wicked street for his evangelistic work. In the ex-

last two diamonds. He let go one club but, in order to guard clubs and hearts, had to discard one of his precious spades as well. The ace and another heart threw him on lead. He cashed his remaining spade, but had to lead away from his club king into North and South combined tenace.

HE SOLD MATCHES IN
LONDON ONCE

But He Left \$500,000
In His Will

Once upon a time Charles Atkins used to sell matches in the streets of London. Then he got married and emigrated to Adelaide, in Australia. At first he was a hawker. Then he built up a wholesale business. Then he bought an hotel. Now he has died—and he has left \$500,000.

"ROAD GANG"—MAJESTIC
THEATRE

This picture of raw, stark realism, said to bare the terrors prisoners are subjected to in a penal institution run by grafting politicians, is set in the sombre background of a farm conducted by a county for convicts, and a mine where incorrigible prisoners are shipped. In the former place the brutality is almost medieval, but at the latter conditions are so terrible that inmates are said either to go insane or die.

There is a wealth of dynamic drama and fast action, with thrill upon thrill, including a convict's strike and battle with police guards, who use gas bombs and Tommy guns, in the bowels of the earth; a running gun-fight between police cars and a car in which a convict is fleeing for his life; and the blasting of a mine tunnel with dynamite.

The picture has an unusually large and talented cast, which is headed by Donald Woods, Kay Linaker, Carlyle Moore, Jr., Henry O'Neill and Joseph King.

"SMALL TOWN GIRL"—
ORIENTAL THEATRE

It has been only a handful of years since Miss Gaylor herself was a Hollywood "extra." She rocketed to overnight fame in "Seventh Heaven," and since has become a beloved favourite wherever motion pictures are shown.

"Small Town Girl" is her first appearance for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. It is one of the company's more important playthings. Produced by Hunt Stromberg and directed by William Wellman, the picture boasts a cast that includes, besides Miss Gaylor and Taylor, Binnie Barnes, Lewis Stone, Andy Devine, Frank Craven and James Stewart. The screen play was written by John Lee Mahin and Edith Fitzgerald from Ben Ames Williams' best-selling novel.

13 HOURS' RUN

Summer's Finest
Sunday

August 23 was acclaimed all over England as the best Sunday of the summer.

For the first time this year, thousands of holiday-makers were able to enjoy an uninterrupted day of sunshine.

In the Channel Islands and parts of the South Coast over 13 hours' sunshine were recorded. Maximum temperature exceeded 70deg. all over England and Wales. At Southend and Dawlish the thermometer reached 76deg.

Bathers were more numerous than ever before this season. On many beaches sunbathing space was filled to capacity. In some places there was moonlight bathing at night.

This Is Another Of
Those Fish Stories

The story of an air-conscious 20-foot shark that escaped three husky fishermen by flying through the air, clear over their boat, was added to the fish folklore of the Boston Fish Pier recently.

It happened while the schooner Raymond, which docked with a large cargo of cod and haddock, was off the Georges Bank, some 250 miles east of Boston Light, and it is vouchsafed for by no less a fisherman than Capt. Carl Olson, master of the Raymond.

One morning, it seems, three of the schooner's crew, Albion Maise, Peter Dousette and Jack Shannon, were hauling in trawls in a dory. Suddenly they met, with marked resistance at the end of their line. All three, toll-strengthened backs heaved in co-operative effort, and they hauled to the sur-

face a huge "shovel-nose" shark, measuring, according to the fishermen, at least 20 feet.

The marauder of the depths appeared to resent their attentions, for he lashed about vigorously, attempting to leave abruptly and simultaneously for points south, east, north, west and directly below. The sturdy fishing line held, however.

Suddenly, the shark chose a new direction and a new medium, and with a facility which the three fishermen said put the daring young man on the flying trapeze, shame, flew through the air, clearing both the dory and himself of the line. Free, he immediately set about to keep engagements elsewhere on the compass.

The fish, in other words, got away.

JAPAN'S STEADY
PRESSURE

Bid For Australian
Trade

DIFFICULT DILEMMA
ENCOUNTERED

Melbourne. — Steady increase of Japanese pressure for a more rigid and favourable trade agreement has forced Australia into a difficult dilemma.

Australia now enjoys a highly favourable trade balance with Japan which she is loath to lose. Australia also has obligations to Great Britain and the other British Dominions which would be affected adversely by any extensive new concessions to Japan.

And yet Australia recognises that Japan has a good case for more freedom to sell in Australian markets. Every effort is being made by the Government to resolve the problem, but it is moving slowly and carefully. Meanwhile Japanese pressure is increased and haste is demanded with threats of reprisals for failure to comply.

Price Kept Firm
Japan undoubtedly could carry out these threats. It has been said that Japan cannot do without wool. But an appeal to her people to use other materials would affect purchases enormously. The loss of Japanese competition in the Australian market would bring prices down, for the sustained keenness of Japanese buyers in Australia has kept the market firm for years.

Added to this, if Japan were to weaken the market, Yorkshire would probably not be benevolent. Japan's partial withdrawal from Australian sales would make this country more reliant on the British market, and heavier supplies there would have an immediate depressing effect on prices.

Suggestions have brought threats of reprisals from Japan which cannot be taken lightly. Japan is in a position to make reprisals. She has demonstrated her ability to make trade treaties in the Far East.

Preference Wanted
In the future she is likely to make even stronger efforts to establish a Japanese trade bloc. Her intention is to gain preference for Japanese goods, and if four were included a severe blow would be dealt to the Australian flour-milling industry. In recent years the Far East has bought great quantities of Australian flour, through Japanese agents.

Indeed, Australia faces Japan in the Far East as a serious trade competitor. Strenuous efforts are being made to build up trade with the Dutch East Indies and China, and in both places Japan is doing the same. Political complications in the Indies are considered more vital than is generally realised, but at the moment trade alone is of concern to Australia.

Australia's tariff policy has lost her trade in the past. She is trying to make sure it does not lose her more in the future. Sales of wheat to Japan have been enormous. Japan now threatens to give the trade to Canada, with whom she has composed her differences temporarily. When Argentina and the United States return to the export market they too may capture some of the business.

ONE RECIPE FOR LONGEVITY

A man named Mahane Shri Maharaj has just died in Bhavangan State, India—at the age of 130.

He attributed his long life to the fact that he never married.



TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 K.C.A.).

RELAY OF DANCE MUSIC FROM
HONG KONG HOTEL

DAVENTRY RELAY

12.30-2.15 p.m.—European recorded programme.

12.30 p.m.—Barabas von Gery and his Orchestra with Lucienne Boyer (Soprano).

1 p.m.—Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.05 p.m.—Instrumental Variety Items.

1.30 p.m.—Sender Press, Rugby Press, Local: Weather forecast time and announcements.

1.40 p.m.—Dance Music.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7-12 midnight — European Programme.

7 p.m.—Light Opera and Musical Comedy.

Selection—Merrie England (Edward German).

Vocal Gems—Monsieur Beaucaire (Messager).

C. B. Cochran Medley.

Selection—Wonder Bar.

Musical Comedy Gems.

7.32 p.m.—A Relay from Daventry.

"Monologue in Melody". Synopsed piano music by John Riddley.

7.45 p.m.—The Columbia Concert Orchestra.

Love in Idleness (Macbeth).

Indiana Sweetheart (Hanson).

Neapolitan Melodies Medley.

8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and announcements.

8.03 p.m.—A Variety Programme.

Piano Solos—Melodies of the Month.

No. 15—Len Green.

Songs—

The End begins.

(The King Steps Out).

Stars in my eyes.

(The King Steps Out).

Grace Moore (Soprano).

Band—Queen of Hearts—March.

Songs—

On the Beach at Bali Bali.

I met my Waterloo.

Connie Boswell.

Instrumental—Aloha Beloved.

Kanni Lulu.

Vocal—Shoe Shine Boy.

Rhythm saved the World.

The Mills Brothers.

Vocal—America Calling.

The Carlyle Cousins.

Orchestra—Puccini—Concert arrangement.

Humorous—A Surrealist Alphabet.

Clapham and Dwyer.

Instrumental—It's love again Medley.

Song—Let's put some people to work.

(When Knights were bold).

Jack Buchanan.

Band—Rise and Shine—Selection.

9 p.m.—News and announcements from London.

9.20 p.m.—A Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room.

10 p.m.—BIG BEN from London.

12 midnight—CLOSE DOWN.

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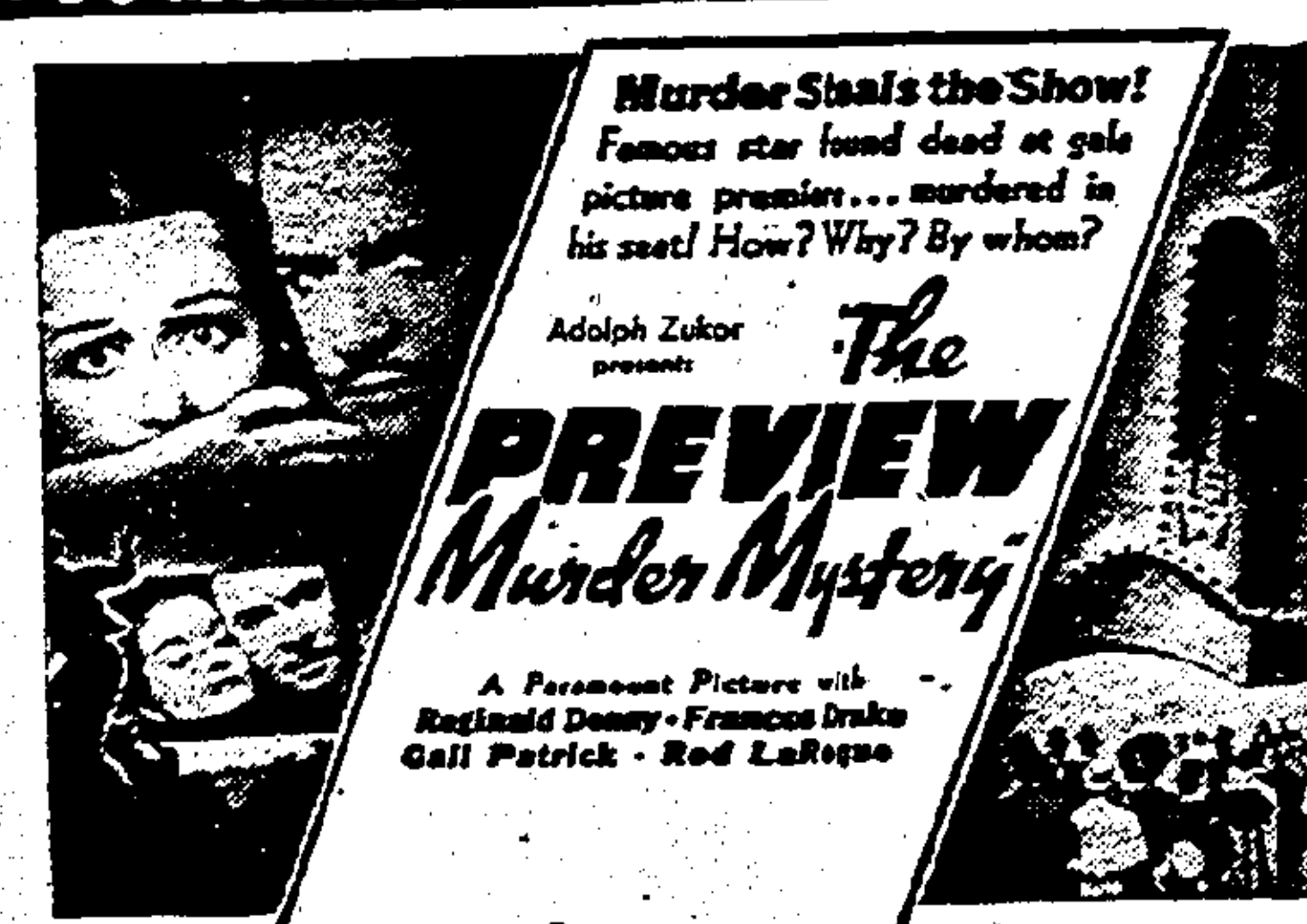
THEATRE

LAST 4 TIMES TODAY

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CLARK GABLE — JEAN HARLOW — MYRNA LOY
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U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

**Cardinals Beaten
 By Cubs**

New York, To-day.
 The following were the results
 of the major League Baseball
 matches played yesterday—
 National League

St. Louis	0	3	0
Warnecke pitched.			
Chicago	3	9	1

No other games were scheduled.

American League			
Cleveland	3	4	2
Detroit	6	9	1

"Goose" Goslin homered.

Chicago	5	10	2
St. Louis	6	10	0

Bottomley hit a home run.

No other games were scheduled.

—Reuter.

NEW PEAK TRAM STOP

**MacDonnell Road
 Innovation**

The many residents in the
 vicinity of MacDonnell Road, mid-
 levels, will benefit from an innova-
 tion introduced this week by the
 Peak Tramway Company, in the
 shape of a landing platform where
 trams will stop on request.

The new stop was instituted, it
 is stated, because the Company
 felt that the amount of traffic
 would justify its inauguration. It
 had been suggested to them by re-
 sidents of the district that such a
 feature would be welcome.

The new stop is a permanent
 one, and should prove of great be-
 nefit to travellers to this level who
 formerly had to walk from the
 Bowen Road or Kennedy Road stop,
 or take a taxi or chair from town.

MORALE OF REBELS BADLY SHAKEN

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TERRIFIC EXPLOSION

Paris: Large stores of dynamite
 which had been placed in the
 tunnels dug into Alcazar, the
 famous Moorish fortress in Toledo,
 were set off yesterday by the Mar-
 xist troops, according to a mes-
 sage from Madrid, the greater part
 of the structure being demolished in
 the terrific explosion. The in-
 habitants of Toledo had evacuated
 the town during the night and were
 encamped two kilometers away.
 The fate of the Nationalist officers
 and cadets who held out in Alcazar
 for weeks is not known, but the
 troops which are rushing to their
 rescue hope to reach Toledo in the
 course of the next few days.

FOREIGNERS WARNED

Paris: All foreigners in Bilbao
 and Santander have been warned
 to leave the towns by a radio an-
 nouncement from the Provisional
 Government at Burgos, according
 to a report from that city, because
 these towns will be bombed during
 the next few days. The National-
 lists have advanced to the im-
 mediate vicinity of Bilbao, having
 defeated a column of Government
 troops which attempted to inter-
 cept their progress.

The next objects of the Nation-
 alist operations will be the small
 towns of Zaraut and Zumaya,
 about 35 km from San Sebastian.
 The Nationalist body in Oviedo
 cut off from the main body, is still
 holding out against the Marxists.
 The town of Trubia, which con-
 tains important ammunition fac-
 tories, was occupied by the Na-
 tionalists after a heavy fight, a
 considerable amount of war ma-
 terial falling into their hands.

POWERS' NARROW ESCAPE

Lisbon: Great activity on part
 of insurgent fliers is reported from
 Coruna, bombs having been drop-
 ped on Ciudad Real. Troop and
 provision trains en route to the
 front have been derailed and the
 Madrid South railway station, as
 well as other strategic places, has
 been bombed. It is reported that
 during one of these bombardments,
 a bomb dropped on the roof of the
 War Ministry, and falling through
 the building, exploded not five
 metres away from the office of the
 Premier, Senor Largo Caballero.

FOOD SUPPLIES EXHAUSTED
 Hendaye, later: The situation
 in Santander is becoming more
 critical every day, food supplies
 having been exhausted 10 days
 ago. Two ships containing about

1,300 hostages are lying in the
 harbour. About 40,000 refugees
 from Irun and San Sebastian are
 being sheltered in French towns,
 private houses, schools, halls and
 hospitals being used as lodgings.

ENVOYS' ATTITUDE

St. Jean de Luz: The diploma-
 tic corps from Madrid, which re-
 moved to St. Jean de Luz at the
 beginning of the hostilities, de-
 cided yesterday not to heed the
 request of the Madrid Govern-
 ment that they should return to
 the capital because the condi-
 tions which necessitated their de-
 parture were no longer existent.
 It is stated that only foreign
 diplomats resident on Spanish soil
 can be officially recognised.

At a meeting of the Diplomatic
 Corps, two representatives decid-
 ed not to participate in the de-
 liberations. Those refusing to
 return to Madrid included the
 envoys of England, Argentina,
 Italy, the United States of Ameri-
 ca, France, Belgium, Norway,
 Czechoslovakia, Finland, Vene-
 zuela, Japan, Sweden and Hol-
 land.—Trans-Ocean Service.

COMING LOCARNO PARLEY

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"Thirdly, the three Governments
 accordingly consider that steps
 should be taken to arrange a
 meeting of the five Locarno Pow-
 ers as soon as such a meeting can
 conveniently be held. The first
 business to be undertaken should
 be, in their opinion, to negotiate a
 new agreement to take the place
 of the Rhine Pact of Locarno and
 to resolve, through the collabora-
 tion of all concerned, the situa-
 tion created by the German initia-
 tive of March 7.

"Fourthly, the three Govern-
 ments accordingly propose to en-
 ter into communication with the
 German and Italian Governments,
 with a view to obtaining their
 participation in the meeting thus
 proposed.

"Fifthly, if progress can be
 made at this meeting, other mat-
 ters affecting European peace
 will necessarily come under dis-
 cussion. In such circumstances it
 would be natural to look forward
 to a widening of the area of dis-
 cussion in such a manner as to
 facilitate, with the collaboration
 of other interested Powers, a set-
 tlement of those problems, the
 solution of which is essential to
 the peace of Europe."

Government Appointments

The following Government ap-
 pointments etc. are notified in the
 Government Gazette:

The Hon. Mr. William Henry
 Bell to be temporarily an Unof-
 ficial Member of the Executive
 Council in the place of the Hon.
 Sir Henry Edward Pollock, Kt.,
 K.C., LL.D., who is temporarily
 absent from the Colony, with ef-
 fect from June 8;

The Hon. Mr. Marcus Theodore
 Johnson to be temporarily an Un-
 official Member of the Legislative
 Council in the place of the Hon.
 Sir Henry Edward Pollock, Kt.,
 K.C., LL.D., who is temporarily
 absent from the Colony, with ef-
 fect from June 8;

Mr. Cecil Graham Ferris to be
 Deputy Inspector-General of Po-
 lice, with effect from April 9;

Mr. John Pelly Murphy to act
 as Registrar of the Supreme
 Court, Registrar of Companies,
 Official Administrator and Official
 Trustee during the absence on
 leave of Mr. Ernest Philip Henry
 Lang, or until further notice, with
 effect from September 15;

Mr. Claude Bramall Burgess to
 be Assistant Superintendent of
 Imports and Exports, with ef-
 fect from September 12;

Mr. Henry Harold Fantham to
 be a member of the Politage Board
 Council in the place of the Hon.
 Sir Henry Edward Pollock, Kt.,
 K.C., LL.D., who is temporarily
 absent from the Colony, with ef-
 fect from September 16;

Miss Sarah Isabel Summerskill
 to be Principal Matron, Medical
 Department, with effect from No-
 vember 30, 1935.

DEATH ENQUIRY RESUMED

**Pokfulam Tragedy
 Probed**

CHIEF WITNESS MISSING

When the Coroner's enquiry in-
 to the death of Mr. T. B. Oei, a
 director of the China and South
 Sea Bank, who was killed by a
 fall over an embankment at Pok-
 fulum Road on July 7, was resum-
 ed before Mr. W. Schofield at the
 Central Magistracy yesterday, In-
 spector M. Hourihan informed the
 Coroner that Mr. Stanley Chan,
 one of the chief witnesses, had
 left the Colony for Swatow, al-
 though he had been warned that
 he was required as a witness, and
 it was possible he would return.

Mr. P. H. Sin, for deceased's
 parents, applied for a subpoena
 against Mr. Chan, but Mr. Scho-
 field declined, although he said
 that Chan's people could be asked
 to write to him.

Brandy And Beer

Tan Hong-li, one of the mem-
 bers of the party at a restaurant
 in Aberdeen on July 7, said that
 before they started out to Aber-
 deen that evening, Oei was in a
 normal condition and not drunk.
 At the dinner at the restaurant in
 Aberdeen they had brandy and
 beer. Messrs. Chan, Robinson
 and deceased drank about three or
 four bottles of brandy, while Mr.
 and Mrs. Lowe, Mr. T. T. Oei and
 himself drank beer. Deceased
 drank quite a lot of brandy. Some
 of the party were singing, and it
 was a jolly party.

About 9.30 p.m., Mr. T. B. Oei
 suddenly rose and walked to the
 stairs. While passing Chan, he
 pulled his braces, and Chan fol-
 lowed him. Witness said he did
 not see what happened below, as
 he was having his dinner, but a
 few minutes later he heard a com-
 motion and sounds of people run-
 ning about. He looked out and
 saw deceased running about the
 street in the rain, chasing a crowd
 of people. T. T. Oei and Robin-
 son then went downstairs, but
 witness did not see what happen-
 ed. Later he was told that de-
 ceased had been taken home in a
 car. Afterwards Mr. T. T. Oei,
 who had gone with his brother in
 the car, returned and told them
 that deceased had fallen and asked
 Chan to telephone for an am-
 bulance. This was done and the
 party went to the scene of the ac-
 cident.

Finding Of Body

Inspector Hourihan stated that
 he went down to where the body
 was seen to be lying and found
 small stones scattered around.
 The bank also showed marks as
 if someone had slid down it. In
 his opinion Oei had slipped and
 rolled down the bank. Robinson
 was sober when he saw him, but
 very agitated.

Detective-Sergeant J. S. Riddell
 said that the spot from where Oei
 had left the car to where he had
 disappeared was 324 feet, and
 from the compound, where the
 body was found, to the top of the
 embankment, 52 feet.

In reply to Mr. Sin, witness said
 he had interviewed Chan, who
 showed no reluctance in answer-
 ing his questions.

Mr. Sin then made his applica-
 tion for a subpoena against Chan,
 and was asked by the Coroner
 what importance was attached to
 Chan's appearance.

Mr. Sin replied that he was sure
 Chan was not present when the
 accident took place, but it was al-
 leged that he had had a fight with
 Oei before Oei left Aberdeen that
 evening.

Mr. Schofield said the only
 thing to be done was to wait until
 Chan returned, and if he did not,
 his statement could be read out,
 but he did not see his way clear
 to grant a subpoena. Chan's fam-
 ily, however, could be asked to
 write to him.

The hearing was adjourned un-
 til 2.30 p.m. on September 25.

The jury empanelled at the
 enquiry was as follows:

Messrs. Wall Mohamed Mehal
 (foreman), Walter Mauelshagen
 and J. H. Maycock.

KING'S COLOUR ENSHRINED

Five hundred men of the 10th
 Bn. Liverpool Scottish Territorials
 took part in the recent ceremony
 of depositing the old King's Co-
 lour of the battalion in the Scot-
 tish National War Memorial at
 Edinburgh Castle.

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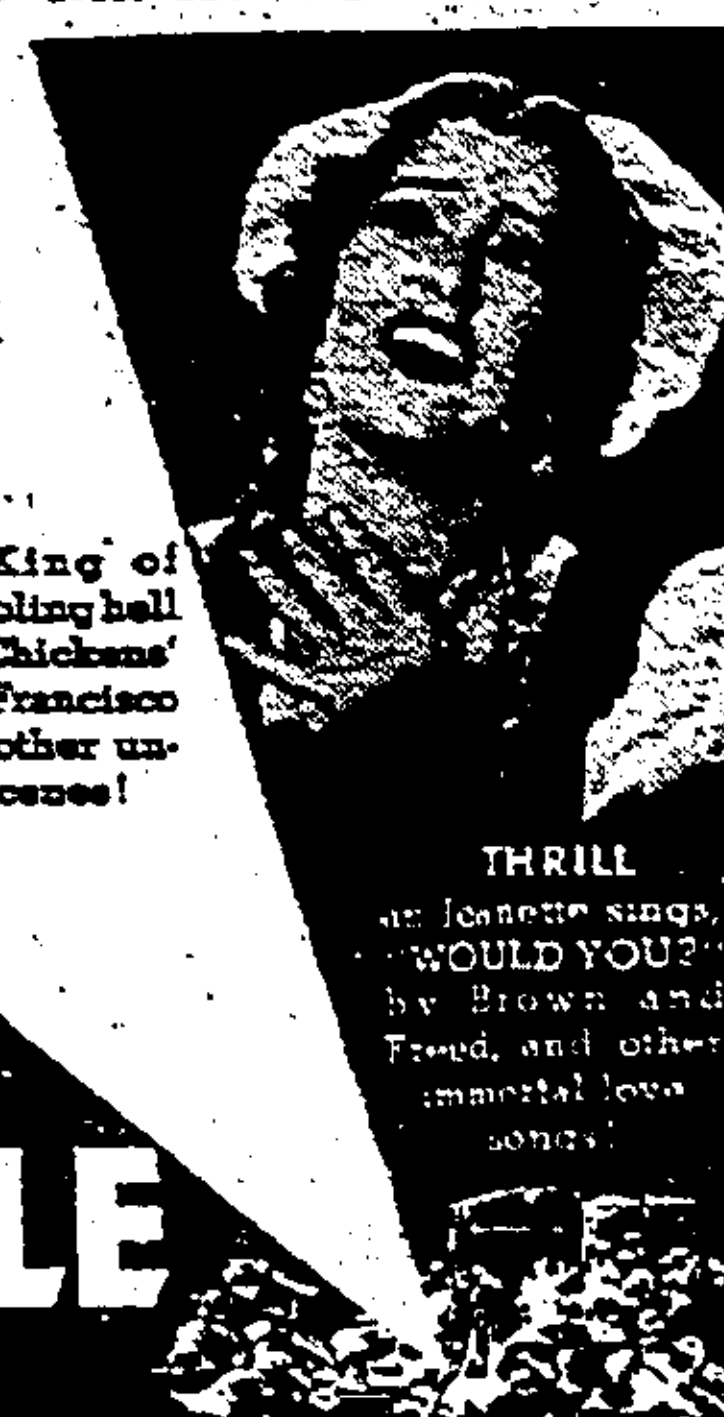
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